What you seek for others you find for yourself.

A heart full of joy is better than a hand full of coins.

Pebbles that bring you joy are better than diamonds that bring you sorrow.

When bad things happen to you, become wiser, not bitter.

The beauty that is in you is greater than the ugliness around you.

If you go to bed angry, you have robbed yourself of a chance to wake up happy. Letting go of sorrow gives strength to carry happiness.

Letting go of anger gives strength to carry kindness. Letting go of fear gives strength to carry hopefulness. Letting go of resentment gives strength to carry gratefulness. Letting go of disappointment gives strength to carry joyfulness. Letting go of avarice gives strength to carry contentedness.

Love subtracts sorrow, divides trouble, adds blessings and multiplies joy

Happiness cannot be bought by money, cannot be acquired by degrees, cannot be realized by power, and cannot be earned by honour. It can be won by kindness, gained by charity, attained by goodness, and achieved by love.

Pleasure will make you happy for days. Wealth will make you happy for weeks. Honour will make you happy for years. Love will make you happy for a lifetime.

We are at once always alone and at the same time eternally connected. We are each on our sacred path from the moment of birth until death. Many people cross our path over the length of our lifetime. Some are with us for many years, others for a short time. Each one both a teacher and a student

# JAIN CALENDAR 2024 Vir Samvat 2550 - Vikram 2080



Jain Festivals AATHAM | CHAUDAS | PANCHAM | BIJ | AGIYARAS

**Auspicious Day** 

#### JETH - JULY 2024 - ASHADH **Tuesday** Wednesday Monday Thursday Friday Saturday Sunday Vad 3 Sud Ekam Vad Dasam Vad Agiyaras | Baras | Teras | Vad Chaudas | Vad Amas Sud Bij 10 12 13 14 11 Sud Trij Sud Trij Sud Choth Sud Pancham | Sud Chhath **Sud Aatham** Sud Satam 15 17 20 16 18 19 Sud Chaudas | Sud Poonam Sud Nom Sud Dasam Sud Agiyaras | Sud Baras **Sud Teras** 22 23 24 Vad 25 26 27 28 Vad Ekam Trij | Choth Vad Bij Vad Pancham | Vad Chhath Vad Satam Vad Aatham 29 31 30 JETH: 1 TO 05 JULY **Vad Dasam** Vad Nom **Vad Agiyaras** ASHADH: 06 TO 31 JULY



**CHATURMAS (Four months) starts from Ashadh** Sud Chaudas – 20 July till Kartik Sud Poonam – 15 November. During Chaturmas, Jain Sadhus & Sadhvis in India stay in one place, to study, do sadhana, tapasya, give discourses to the Jain Sangh and engage themselves in Jinvani.

> Jain Sadhus & Sadhvis should be in our thoughts & prayers every day. "Namo Loe Savva Sahunam"



#### Auspicious Day - Kalyanaks

Date: 12- Mahavirswami Chavan Kalyanak

Date: 14 - Neminath Nirvan Kalyanak

Date: 20 - Vasupujya Nirvan Kalyanak

Date: 22 - 20 Viharmans Bhagwans Chavan

Kalyanak

Date: 24 - Shreyanshnath Nirvan Kalyanak (Vad Trij)

Date: 27 - Anantnath Chavan Kalyanak

Date: 28 - Naminath Janma Kalyanak

**Date: 29 - Kunthunath Chavan Kalyanak** 

### JAIN FESTIVAL

Date: 04 - Pakhi Pratikraman

Date: 20 - Chaumasi Chaudas | Chaturmas Starts

Date: 21 - Guru Purnima Poonam (Bhav Siddhachal Yatra)

#### Avoid Green & Root Vegetables

Date: 2 | 4 | 7 | 11 | 14 | 17 | 20 | 23 | 25 | 28 | 31

Avoid Root Vegetables

Date: 12 | 21 | 22 | 24 | 27 | 29

## OTHER SIGNIFICANT DAYS

**July 2024 - Plastic Free Month** 

Date: 01 to 14 - Wimbledon Tennis

**Date: 12 - National Simplicity Day** 

**Date: 15 - Give Something Away Day** 

Date: 18 - Nelson Mandela International Day

Date: 22 - World Mango Day

**Date: 26 - Summer Olympic Games begins** 

**Date: 30 - International Day of Friendship** 



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