Thanksgiving Week Planner, Nov. 23–29, 2026

Official observances by day, with who sets each one

First Sunday of Advent
Sun., Nov. 29



DATE	DAYS BEFORE FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT	UN DAYS	U.S. LAW AND HOLIDAYS	ORGANIZERS AND CHURCHES	DONE
Tue., Nov. 24	5	World Conjoined Twins Day			☐
Wed., Nov. 25	4	Elimination of Violence against Women Day; 16 Days starts			☐
Thu., Nov. 26	3	World Sustainable Transport Day	Thanksgiving Day (federal holiday)	National Day of Mourning, noon, Plymouth	☐
Fri., Nov. 27	2	International Day for the Elimination of Child, Early and Forced Marriage	Native American Heritage Day (a designation, not a federal holiday)		☐
Sun., Nov. 29	0	International Day of Solidarity with the Palestinian People		First Sunday of Advent	☐

Not yet confirmed

Small Business Saturday, Sat., Nov. 28: the story links the U.S. Small Business Administration page; the sheet leaves the day off

Guru Nanak Gurpurab, Tue., Nov. 24: no official Sikh body page could be read as of Nov. 9, 2026

Days I want to mark this week

Source: United Nations; U.S. Office of Personnel Management; United American Indians of New England; Public Law 111-33; Liturgy Office of the Catholic Bishops' Conference of England and Wales. Read Nov. 9, 2026.