



Mikuláš

6 December

THE DAY OF ST. NICOLAS

Our tradition: to put the clean shoes on the window and wait until morning

At night St. Mikuláš puts some sweets and fruit into the shoes

a legend: Mikuláš puts to naughty children only coal or potatoes and a stick





<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ex3lZX9FpDI>

The feast of st. Lucy

video

13 December

Habits and Traditions:

- Garlic will protect us from evil spirits
- A strange woman in the house brings misfortune
- Lending and borrowing was forbidden
- Young boys created wooden tables which helped them to discover witches
- Girls prepared 13 pieces of paper with names of boys. They burnt one of them every day. The last one was opened on Christmas Eve - it was the name of the future husband.





Christmas

■ 24 December

- Christians celebrate Christmas Day as the birthday of Jesus of Nazareth in Bethlehem. People decorate their homes, Christmas tree and give gifts.

When children wake up on this morning, they go to the bed of their parents and say:

„HAPPY CHRISTMAS“.

The whole family meets at one table.



NEW
YEAR

12 pm
fireworks
Happy New Year