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JANUARY 2020

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			1 8:54 AM +XL	2 9:20 AM +L	3 9:48 AM +L	4 10:21 AM +L
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12 12:34 PM -M	13 1:21 PM -M	14 2:11 PM -M	15 3:02 PM -L	16 8:53 AM +XL 3:54 PM -L	17 9:32 AM +XL	18 10:13 AM +L
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						1 8:38 AM +L 4:07 PM -L
2 9:14 AM +L 4:30 PM -L	3 10:04 AM +M	4 11:07 AM +M	5 12:25 PM +M	6 8:58 AM -S 1:39 PM +M	7 9:54 AM -M 2:30 PM +M	8 10:39 AM -M 3:17 PM +L
9 11:23 AM -M 4:04 PM +L	10 12:06 PM -M	11 12:50 PM -L	12 1:34 PM -L	13 2:19 PM -L	14 8:05 AM +XL 3:05 PM -XL	15 8:36 AM +L 3:44 PM -XL
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MARCH 2020

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1 7:41 AM +L 2:23 PM -L	2 8:17 AM +M 2:59 PM -L	3 9:16 AM +S 4:03 PM -L	4 10:47 AM +S	5 7:45 AM -S 12:24 PM +S	6 8:39 AM -M 1:27 PM +M	7 9:27 AM -M 2:19 PM +L
8* 11:10 AM -M 4:08 PM +L	9 11:51 AM -L 4:57 PM +L	10 12:31 PM -L 6:00 PM +XL	11 1:11 PM -L	12 1:50 PM -XL	13 2:23 PM -XL	14 8:17 AM +L 3:11 PM -XL
15 8:57 AM +L 4:00 PM -XL	16 10:02 AM +M 4:54 PM -L	17 11:23 AM +S 5:55 PM -L	18 8:12 AM -M 12:40 PM +S	19 9:11 AM -M 1:45 PM +S	20 10:13 AM -M 2:39 PM +M	21 10:45 AM -L 3:26 PM +M
22 11:20 AM -L 4:19 PM +L	23 11:51 AM -L 5:03 PM +L	24 12:16 PM -L 5:47 PM +L	25 12:41 PM -L 6:31 PM +L	26 1:00 PM -L	27 1:17 PM -L	28 1:36 PM -L
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*Daylight Savings begins; times given in Pacific Daylight Time up to and including November 2, 2019.

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5 9:55 AM -L 3:09 PM +L	6 10:36 AM -L 4:09 PM +L	7 11:14 AM -L 5:04 PM +XL	8 11:51 AM -XL 5:59 PM +XL	9 12:28 AM -XL 6:54 PM +XL	10 1:05 PM -XL	11 1:42 PM -XL
12 7:34 AM +M 2:31 PM -XL	13 8:27 AM +M 3:24 PM -L	14 9:37 AM +S 4:19 PM -L	15 5:18 PM -L	16 7:49 AM -M 12:33 PM +S 6:21 PM -M	17 8:51 AM -L 1:38 PM +S 7:24 PM -M	18 9:32 AM -L 2:31 PM +M
19 10:10 AM -L 3:29 PM +M	20 10:43 AM -L 4:14 PM +L	21 11:10 AM -L 4:57 PM +L	22 11:35 AM -L 5:40 PM +XL	23 11:41 AM -L 6:21 PM +XL	24 11:50 AM -XL 7:03 PM +XL	25 11:53 AM -XL 7:45 PM +XL
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7 12:19 AM -XL 7:44 PM +XL	8 6:07 AM +M 1:03 PM -XL 8:29 PM +XL	9 6:55 AM +M 1:48 PM -L	10 7:49 AM +S 2:34 PM -L	11 8:59 PM +S 3:21 PM -L	12 4:09 PM -M	13 6:28 AM -L 12:01 PM +S 5:02 PM -M
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SEPTEMBER 2020

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25 1:40 PM +XL	26 2:32 PM +XL	27 8:36 AM -M 3:16 PM +XL	28 9:31 AM -M 3:50 PM +L	29 10:19 AM -M 4:14 PM +L	30 11:11 AM -M 4:38 PM +L	31 11:50 AM -M 4:43 PM +L

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NOVEMBER 2020

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1** 11:30 AM -M 3:57 PM +M	2 12:11 PM -M	3 12:53 PM -M	4 1:37 PM -M	5 8:13 AM +XL 2:25 PM -M	6 8:13 AM +XL 3:18 PM -M	7 9:00 AM +XL
8 10:01 AM +XL	9 11:34 AM +XL	10 12:31 PM +XL	11 1:10 PM +XL	12 7:53 AM -L 1:44 PM +L	13 9:07 AM -M 2:19 AM +L	14 10:10 AM -M 2:57 PM +L
15 11:04 AM -M 3:37 PM +L	16 11:54 AM -M	17 12:42 PM -M	18 1:32 PM -M	19 8:19 AM +XL 2:37 PM -M	20 9:15 AM +XL 3:42 PM -M	21 10:01 AM +XL
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		1 11:51 AM -S	2 12:32 PM -M	3 1:15 PM -M	4 2:01 PM -M	5 8:37 AM +XL 3:02 PM -M
6 9:18 AM +XL	7 9:59 AM +XL	8 10:42 AM +XL	9 11:24 AM +XL	10 11:59 AM +L	11 12:49 PM +L	12 9:00 AM -S 1:38 PM +L
13 9:59 AM -M 2:26 PM +L	14 10:50 AM -M 3:14 PM +M	15 11:38 AM -M	16 12:34 PM -M	17 1:25 PM -M	18 2:18 PM -M	19 8:38 AM +XL 3:14 PM -L
20 9:16 AM +XL	21 9:52 AM +XL	22 10:25 AM +L	23 10:58 AM +L	24 11:31 AM +L	25 12:08 PM +M	26 8:34 AM -S 12:50 PM +M
27 9:24 AM -S 1:35 PM +M	28 10:07 AM -S 2:18 PM +M	29 10:48 AM -S 3:08 PM +M	30 11:27 AM -S 3:48 PM +M	31 12:16 PM -M		

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