

Hindu Temple of St. Louis

Celebrates



MAHA KUMBHABHISHEKAM

(Oct 1st - 4th, 2009)

Hindu Temple of St. Louis

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Maha Kumbhabhishekam Celebration Program

(Please note that the sequence of rituals and starting/ending times are subject to change by the Archakas of the Mahakumbhabhishekam and the logistics of the rituals)

Thursday, October 1, 2009

08:15AM : Meditation
Inaugural Blessings by Swami Chetanananda of Vedanta Society
Maha Ganapati and Akalmasha Homas, Aarati and Mantra Pushpam
12:00 PM : Teertha Prasadam
05:00 PM : Ganapati and Vishwaksena Aaradhana Punyaham, Deeksha – Ritvig
Varanam, Akhanda Sthapana, Mruth Samgrahana,
Ankurarpana, Aarati and Mantra Pushpam
08:30 PM : Teertha Prasadam

Friday, October 2, 2009

09:00 AM : Ganapati and Vishwaksena Puja, Punyaha Vachanam, Vastu Puja and Homa, Agni
Mathana, Agni Prathista, Nitya Homa, Dhruva and Kouthuka
Murthi/ Vimana kalasas, Nethronmelanam, Anga Homa, Panchagavya and Ksheera
Adhivasa, Adhivasa Homa, Bali Sathumura, Aarati and Mantra Pushpam
12:30 PM : Teertha Prasadam
04:00 PM- 05:00 PM Bhajans or Youth Program, Mahatma Gandhi Center
05:00 PM : Parivara Kumbha Sthapanam, Nitya Homa, Navagraha Homa, Moorthi Homa,
Chaturveda Parayana, Aarati and Mantra Pushpam
09:00 PM: Teertha Prasadam

Saturday, October 3, 2009

07:00 AM : Balaji Abhishekam
08:00 AM : Vishwaksena Aradhana, Ganapati Puja, Punyaham, Nitya Homam, Kumbha puja,
Jaladhivasam - Homam, Veda Parayanam, Rudra Homam, Sarvadaivatyam,
Asthaseethi Homam, Bali Sathumura, Aarati and Mantra Pushpam
01:00 PM : Teertha Prasadam
03:00 – 04:00 PM: Bhajans or Youth Program, Mahatma Gandhi Center
04:00 PM : Asta Bandha Dravya Puja, Kumbha Kala Avahanam, Maha Shanti Homam,
Eamkaradi Homam, Paramatmika Homam, Sahasrahuti homam – Howthram,
Navaratna Adhivasa-Sayyadhivasa, Chaturveda Parayanam, Aarati and Mantra
Pushpam
09:00 PM: Teertha Prasadam

Sunday, October 4, 2009

05:30 AM: Rudrabhishekam
07:00 AM: Vishwaksena and Ganapati Aaradhana Punyaham, Nitya Homam and Purnahuti,
Kalasa Udwasana, Ratnanyasa - Vimana Kalasa Sthapana,
Ratnanyasa Dwaja Peetha and Dhruva Stambha, Ratnaniskhepana
08:15AM: Kalasa Procession
08:45AM: Maha Kumbha Abhishekam to Vimanas - Dhruvas and Deities – Kumbha
Kalanyasam
10:30AM: Nitya Archana Naivedyam, Aarati and Mantra Pushpam, Kumbhateertha
Prokshanam
12:00 PM: Mahadaseervachanam Shanti Patham, Ritvig Sanmanam
02:00 PM: Teertha Prasadam
03:00 – 05:00 PM: Cultural program, Mahatma Gandhi Center
06:00 PM: Sri Srinivasa Kalyanam

SPONSORSHIP

1. Benefactor-----above \$ 25,000
(will get a special collectors' item gift, participation in all homas, poojas, one of 108 kalasas, one full page ad in souvenir, Srinivasa Kalyanam and a Shawl)
2. Grand Patron (will get a special collectors' item gift, participation in all homas, poojas, one of 108 kalasas, one full page ad in souvenir) -----\$ 10,001
3. Patron (will get a special gift, participation in all poojas, kalasa) -----\$ 5,001
4. Special sponsor (will participate in all poojas, one kalasa)----- \$ 1,001
5. Kalasa sponsor----- \$ 501
6. Individual Event Homa sponsorship (with participation) - -----\$ 101
7. Individual Event Puja Sponsorship (with participation)-----\$ 101
8. Individual Pooja sponsorships : (No participation)

	Day 1	Day 2	Day 3
Morning	\$51	\$51	\$51
Evening	\$51	\$51	\$101
Sunday AM	\$151		

SPONSORSHIP OF SPECIAL ITEMS:

Dhwajasthambham and Balipeetham	\$ 20,000
9 inch silver replica of Dhwajasthambham	\$ 501
Surya Kattari for Lord venkateswara	\$ 1,000
Gold coating of Vimana kalasas (16)	each \$ 500
Garudavahana	\$ 5,000
Nandivahana	\$ 5,000

RAJAGOPURAM: (Donations for each vigraha)

Dwarapalakas (East face) (12)	\$ 1,000
Varaha Moorthi (North face) 5 different forms	\$ 1,000
Narasimha Moorthi (South face) 5 different form	\$ 1,000

RENOVATIONS: SHRINES- repairs, renovations including mould replacement, Ashtabandhanam for Moola Vighras, painting of walls.

Venkateswara	\$ 1,000
Rama Parivar	\$ 1,000
Krishna and Radha	\$ 1,000
Mahalakshmi	\$ 1,000
Siva Parivar	\$ 1,000

KOSTHA MOORTHIS

Venkateswara (3) - Varaha Moorthi,Narasimha Swamy,Vishnu	each \$ 300
Rama (3) - Yoga Rama,Rama,Bhadrachala Rama	each \$ 300
Radha Krishna (3) - Bala Krishna ,Santhana Krishna ,Venugopala Krishna	each \$ 300
Mahalakshmi (3) - Sri Lakshmi on all three sides	each \$ 300
Siva (3) - Brahma ,Dakshina Moorthi ,Lingothbhava	each \$ 300

GOPURAMS (repairs, renovation including replacement of moulds, painting):

Venkateswara	\$ 2,500
Rama	\$ 2,500
Radhakrishna	\$ 2,500
Mahalakshmi	\$ 2,500
Siva	\$ 2,500
Rajagopuram	\$ 15,000
FLOWERS-All 4 days	\$ 5,000

ANNADANAM – Grocery donations welcome towards annadanam.

