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"If you place complete faith in the Lord at all times, you will receive His grace. Grace takes away the pain of Karma" - Šrî Sâi Bâbâ.

Nov 03 friday	KARTIKA POORNIMA	
Guru Nanak jayanthi		

09.30 am Sai Rudrabhishekam	\$54
10.00 am Sai Rudra Lakshmi Homam	\$126
Flower Service	\$36
Jyothi arathi	\$108
5.00 pm Bilva archana	\$126

6.30 PM JWALA TORANAM - FOR WELFARE OF COWS AND CALVES (ANIMAL WELFARE): A ROPE MADE-UP OF HAY IS HUNG FROM TWO POLES WITH WICKS INSERTED IN THE ROPE.

DEVOTEES PASS UNDER THE LIGHTED WICKS \$108

PRAYASCHITHAM DEEPAM(364 WICKES) \$18
33 PUNNAMULA NOMU \$54

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Salutations to Lord RUDRA

November 2017

"Namaste astu bhagavanh vishveshvaraya mahadevaya tryambakaya tripurantakaya trikagni kalaya kalagnirudraya nilakanthaya mrutyunjayaya sarveshvaraya sadashivaya shrimanmahadevaya namah "

Let my salutations be to that great God who is the Lord of the universe; the great God who has three eyes and who destroys Tripura, the three Asura cities. To that God who is the Dandhya time when the three sacred fires are lit; who is Rudra the fire that consumes the universe; whose throat is blue; who has conquered death; the Lord of all; the ever auspicious one; salutations to that glorious and great God.

DWAADASHA MAHA DEVA NAAMA

Sri Sai Rudra Yagnam

Friday, October 20th - Wednesday, Nov 15th, 2017

For the Loka Kalyanam (Universal Peace) and good of all beings. It is said that this yagna was first performed by Lord Shiva Himself for the peace and prosperity of the world after destroying the Bhasmasura with the help of Maha Vishnu.

This will cleanse all levels of the human consciousness. The yagna will have a great influence on all living beings. The Yagna will bring peace, happiness, prosperity, health, progeny, courage, protection from enemies, and relief from inner and outer demons.

Sponsorship: Full Yagna	\$1116()	One day Homam	\$153()
Sri Siva Archana	\$ 18()	Sahasranama Archana	\$21()
Rudra Abhisekar	n \$36()	Flower Service	\$40()
360 SivaLinga Abhiseka	ım \$108()	Rudra Homam	\$126()
Bilva Archar	na \$126()	Annadanam	\$54()

Thursday Nov 16th - 5.00 pm Girija Kalyanam \$54()

LORD DATTATREYA

The full moon day in the month of Margashira is celebrated as Datta Jayanti. Traditionally, Lord Dattatreya is depicted with three heads representing the trinity of the Hindu pantheon - Brahma, Vishnu and Shiva. He has six hands two each from Brahma (holding the rosary - japa mala that represent Guru and knowledge, water vessel - kamandala that represents the power behind all creation), Vishnu (holding the weapon - chakra that gives emancipation/moksha from rebirth cycle and conch shell -Sankh that echoes the monosyllable mantra OM), and Shiva (holding a (drum) damaru that awakens all from sleep/ignorance and a tridenttrisula that kills the ego). He is a Guru. He is followed by four faithful dogs representing the four Vedas. Remember that Yama dharmaraja had also followed Yudhisthira (the eldest Pandava) in his last journey, in the form of a dog. He is standing in front of a cow - Kamadhenu (that represents creation and kindness) and the tree (wish fulfilling tree). The name Dattatreya can be divided into two words - "Datta" (meaning given) and "Atreya" referring to the sage Atri, his physical father. In the Nath tradition. Dattatreya is recognized as an Avatar or incarnation of Shiva and as the Adi-Guru (First Teacher) of the Aadinath Sampradaya of the Nathas.

BIRTH OF DATTATREYA: Kaushika, a Brahmin, was enchanted by a courtesan to whom he lost his wealth and also suffered from ill health etc. In spite of this, his wife Shandili was faithful and dutiful to him. When sickness prevented him from visiting the courtesan, she even carried him on her shoulders to the courtesan's abode. During one such journey with her husband Kaushika on her shoulders, she unconsciously stepped on Sage Mandavya. The sage cursed them to die at dawn (just at sunrise). Shandili the pure one, prayed sincerely and begged that the Sun should never rise, to enable her husband to continue living. The large hearted Sun God (Surya) was pleased by her sincere devotion and promised to fulfill her request. The Sun did not rise and the world was in darkness. The Devas were bewildered and shocked to see the order of time and sunlight (the cause of all life) destroyed. Taking the wise counsel of Lord Brahma, they approached Anusuya, the wife of Sage Atri, to advise Shandili to take back her prayer and save the world. The devas approached Anasuya who decided to do the impossible – to liberate the day allowing for a return of the life rejuvenating light from the Sun while protecting the spouse of Shandili as well as that the austerity and purity of such a pious one may not go in vain. After deliberations, Shandili agreed on the condition that Kaushika would live on after sunrise (i.e. the Sage's curse shall not be fulfilled). The Sun rose and

Kaushika the Brahmin, died as per the words of Sage Mandavya. However, he was immediately brought back to life by Anusuya. Delighted with Anusuya's efforts to save the world, the Devas granted her three boons. She asked for (a) her liberation, (b) her husband's liberation and (c) that the Trinity - Brahma, Vishnu and Shiva be born as her children. Granting these boons the Devas departed.

Thereafter, a light emanated from Sage Atri's eyes which impregnated his wife Anusuya resulting in the birth of three divine sons - Soma, Durvasa, and Datta (partial incarnations of Brahma, Shiva and Vishnu, respectively).

BIRTH OF SOMA: The sky seized the white-luster form of Brahma which fell all around in the form of Soma, characterized by passion (Rajas Guna). That light from the mind of (Prajapati) Atri, the mental Soma was begotten in Anasuya as the life and possessor of every excellence. He is forever protecting the plant and animal kingdoms to grow with his cool rays. His abode is the Svarga.

BIRTH OF DATTA: From the predominant Satwa Guna (goodness) of Vishnu, Dattatreya the Brahmin incarnated. He is forever protecting the good and causing its dominance and protects offsprings from destruction by the Daitya (Asura's as the sons of Diti).

BIRTH OF DURVASA: Enraged on seeing the haughty king of the Haihayas offending Maharishi Atri, Durvasa, the partial incarnation of Shiva issued from the womb of Anusuya. The predominant Tamas Guna made him angry and desire to burn up the Haihaya. He assumed a haughty look and speech and destroys scorners.

The Saandilya Upanishad declares that Lord Dattatreya is the Supreme Reality and is the cause of everything that is created.

"Om Kaalakaalaaya Vidhmahey Kaalaatheethaaya dheemahi Thanno Kaala Bhairava Prachodhayaath"



Datta Stavam

Sree ganeshaya namaha Sree saraswathyaya namaha Sree padha vallabha narashimha saraswathi Sree guru dattatreyaya namaha

1. Dattatreyam mahaatmaanam, Varadam bhakta vatsalam

Prapannarthi haram vande, Smartrugaami Sanovatu 2. Deenabandhum Krupasindhum, Sarvakaarana

kaaranam

Sarva rakshaa karam vande, Smartrugaami Sanovatu 3. Saraanagatha deenarthaa, Paritraana paraayanam Naraayanam vibhum vande, Smartrugaami Sanovatu

4. Sarvaanardha haram devam, Sarva mangala mangalam

Sarvaklesa haram vande, Smartrugaami Sanovatu

5. Brahmanyam dharma tattvagyam, Bhakta keerthi

vivardhanam

Bhaktabheesta pradam vande, Smartrugaami sanovatu 6. Sosanam paapa pankasya, Deepanam gnaana thejasahah

Thaapa prasamanam vande, Smartrugaami sanovatu 7. Sarva roga prasamanam, Sarvapeeda nivaaranam Vipadhudharanam vande, Smartrugaami sanovatu 8. Janmasamsaara bhandhagnam, Swaroopaananda daayakam

Nissreyasa padam vande, Smartrugaami sanovatu 9. Jaya laabahah yasah kaamaa, Daathur dattasya vastavam

Bhogamoksha pradasyemam, Prapatheth sakruthee bhaveth

Jai Guru Datta !Jai Guru Datta ! Jai Guru Datta!

Sri Sai Guru Dattetreya Yagnam Thursday Nov 30th to Sunday Dec 3rd

The Yagna will bring peace, happiness, prosperity, health, progeny, courage, protection from enemies, and relief from inner and outer demons.

Dec 03 Sun Margasira (Datta. Korala) Poornima

9.30 am Sai Datta abhishekam 10.00 am Sai Datta Homam	\$54 \$126
01.00 pm Sri Datta Anagha Kalyanam Prasadam: Blessed akshintalu & kumkum	
Datta Arachana	\$1 8

Datta Arachana	\$18
Flower Service	\$36
Jyothi arathi	\$108
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Dattatreya slokam

Aum Sri parabrahmaa! Sri paramatmane Namaha Udbathi siddhi pralaya karaaya brahma Hariharaaya thrupunaathmana Sarva gowthuga, nidharshaya, dharshaya Dattatreya namaha Tanthra, manthra Siddhi guru swaahaa! Sarva aparaadha naashaaya Sarva paapa haraaya cha Deva devaaya devaaya Sri dattatreya namosthuthe!

Datta Gayathri

Om Dattathreya Vidmahe

	Flower Service	\$36	Atri putraaya animani			
*******	Jyothi arathi **********	\$108 ******	18		****	
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CALENDAR OF EVENTS - November 2017	Samvatsaram: Sri Heyvilambi / Dakshinâyanam
Mâsam :Kârtikam till November 17 th Mârga	asiram ; Rutuvu – Sharad / Hemantha
Kartika Somavaram - Nov 6th, 13th	10.30 am Durga Homam \$54
Kartika Pradosham- Nov 1st & Nov 15th	Durga Archana \$18
	Thanksgiving long weekend
Kartika Poornima & Santarpana - Friday Nov 3rd	Thursday 23rd - Sunday 26th, 2017
6.30 pm Rudra Abhishekam \$36; Siva Archana \$18	
	Program
Nov 03 Fri Kârtika Poornima - Guru Nânak Jayanthi	09.00 am Sai Abhishekam \$54
09.30 am Sai Rudrabhishekam \$54	10.30am Sai Homam \$126 05.30pm Kumkum puja \$21
10.00 am Sai Mahalakshmi Homam \$126 Flower Service \$36	03.30pm Kunikum puja \$21
Jyothi arathi \$108	Nov 24 Fri Margasira Sukla Subrahmanya Shashti
Nov 04 Sat Krittika Deepa	10.30 am Subrahmanya Abhishekam \$54
Ekadasa Rudra abhishekam	Subrahmanya Archana \$18
Krittikâ deepam - Oil lamps 6 \$12	Nov 25 Sat Jyotir Linga archana \$54
Nov 05 Sun - Day light savings Ends	12.30 am Palaki Seva \$54
New Temple Times -	Nov 26 Sun 10.00 am Surya Homam \$54
M,T,W, F, Sun - 9am -7.30pm	·
Thur & Sat 9am - 8pm	All are welcome to participate
Nov 07 Tues Kartika - Sankatahara Chaturthi	
09.30 am Ganapathi Abhishekam \$54	Dec 01 Fri Margasira Krishna Trayodasi -
10.00 am Ganapathi Homam \$126	Pradosham
06:30 pm "GA" kara Sahasram \$36	
	11 am & 6.30 pm Satya Narayana Vratam \$54
Nov 13 Monday Kârtika Somavâram – Ekâdasi	Krittikâ deenam - Oil lamps 6 \$12
6.30 pm Sri Sai satya narayana Vratam \$54	
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Nov 16 Thur Kartika Krishna Chaturdasi	09.30 am Sai Datta abhishekam \$54
Mâsa Sivarâtri	10.00 am Sai Datta Homam \$126
10.30 am 360 Siva Linga Archana \$108	Datta Arachana \$18
11.30 am Bilva Archana \$126	Flower Service \$36
Nov 17 Fri Kartika Amâvâsya Poli Swargârohanam	Jyothi arathi \$108
08.00 am Deva Rishi Pitru tarpanam \$27	
Nov 18 Sat Vrischika Sankramanam	Sri Sai Rudra Yagnam
06.00 pm Veda Parayana \$21	Friday, October 20th - Wednesday, Nov 15th, 2017
	Thursday Nov 16th - 5.00 pm Girija Kalyanam \$54
Nov 26 Sun Margasira Sukla Astami	
Mâsa Durgâshtami	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •
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