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**SRI VENKATESHWARA CULTURAL CENTER**

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# SRI VARADA VENKATESHWARA TEMPLE

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## MAY 2026 - NEWSLETTER

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### Temple Timings

Morning 9:30am - 12:10pm || Evening 5:30pm - 8:00pm

Daily Aarathi @ 7:00pm || All 7 days a week except special events

### May Programs

Tue May 5: Sankatahara Chaturthi \*2

Fri May 8: Shravana Nakshathram \*6

Sat May 9: Sri Varada Venkateshwara \*1

Mon May 11: Hanuman Jayanthi ←

Tue May 12: Ekadashi

Thu May 14: Pradosham \*4

Sat May 16: Navarasam Day 1 ←

Amavasya & Krithigai

Sun May 17: Navarasam Day 2

Adhika Jyesta Starts on May 17th

Tue May 19: Shukla Chaturthi \*2

Wed May 20: Shukla Panchami \*3

Thu May 21: Shukla Shashti \*7

Fri May 22: Annapoorneshwari \*5

Sat May 23: Navagraha Shanthi \*8 &

Sri Varada Aanjaneya Moorthy \*9

Sun May 24: Guru Peyarchi Homam ←

Tue May 26: Ekadashi

Thu May 28: Pradosham \*4

Fri May 29: Vaikaasi Visaakam ←

Sat May 30: Pournami \*10



Temple Calendar  
with program details  
for the year 2026

#### \* Number reference - Abhishekam to Lord

1. Sri Varada Venkateshwara (9:30am)  
(Sri Vishnu Sahasranamam) (2<sup>nd</sup> Saturdays)
2. Sri Varada Vighneshwara (6:15pm)  
(Shukla & Krishna Chaturthi)
3. Aadi Shankaracharya (6:15pm)  
(Guru Vandanam) (Shukla Panchami)
4. Sri Kaashi Vishweshwara (6:15pm)  
(Pradosham)
5. Sri Annapoorneshwari (6:15pm)  
(Sri Lalitha Sahasranamam) (4<sup>th</sup> Fridays)
6. Uthsava Moorthy (6:15pm)  
(Shravana Nakshatram)
7. Subrahmanya Swamy (6:15pm)  
(Shashti Kavacham) (Shukla Shashti)
8. Navagraha Shanthi (10:00am) (4<sup>th</sup> Saturdays)
9. Sri Varada Aanjaneya Utsava Moorthy  
(10:45am) (4<sup>th</sup> Saturdays)
10. Samuhika Satyanarayana Puja (6:00pm)  
(Pournami)

Participate, Contribute & Support our Divine Mission!

**JAI SRI VARADA!**

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## HANUMAN JAYANTHI

MONDAY, MAY 11

6:00pm:

**Puja**

6:30pm:

**Sundarakandam**

6:45pm:

**Hanuman Chalisa**

7:00pm:

**Archanai Aarathi**

**Manthrapushpam**

**Prasadam**

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# NAVARASAM 2026



- An Indian Classical Program -

We are proud to continue the 5th year of Navarasam to honor and pay tribute to the three great composers

**THYAGARAJA SWAMY, MUTHUSWAMY DIKSHITAR AND SHYAMA SHASTRI**  
ALSO KNOWN AS 'TRIMURTHI' OF CARNATIC

**Saturday, May 16th**

**Sunday, May 17th**

**PROGRAM DETAILS WILL FOLLOW**

*~ Come with your friends and family to celebrate this event with us ~*



**Meena Ravi (717) 5036567 (All details)**

**Vidya Sridhar (610) 223 3106 (Instrumental & Vocal)**

**Roopa Nayak (570) 449-9439 (Classical Dance)**

**Amrutha Gopinath (484) 542 1603 (Instrumental & Vocal)**

**Aishwarya Iyer 91 8123863722 (Classical Dance)**

**Sharmila Venkatraman (610) 316-0493 (Vocal)**

**Aparna Sriram (484) 752-0561 (Dance)**

**Shalu Muthaiah (610) 739 3228 (Food & Sponsorships)**



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## Jupiter transit Shanthi Guru Peyarchi & Sudarshana Homam

### Sunday May 24th

10:00am: Sankalpam

10:15am: Kalashapuja

10:30am: Guru Moola Manthra &  
Sudarshana Mala Manthra Japam

11:00am: Guru Sankramana Shanthi Homam &  
Sudarshana Homam

11:45am: Maha Purnahuthi

12:10pm: Kalasha Abhishekam

12:30pm: Archanai Aarathi Manthrapushpam & Prasadam

**Guru Sankramanam \$75**

**Sudarshana Homam \$75**

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# VAIKAASI VISAAKAM

## Friday, May 29

**5:30pm Sankalpam**

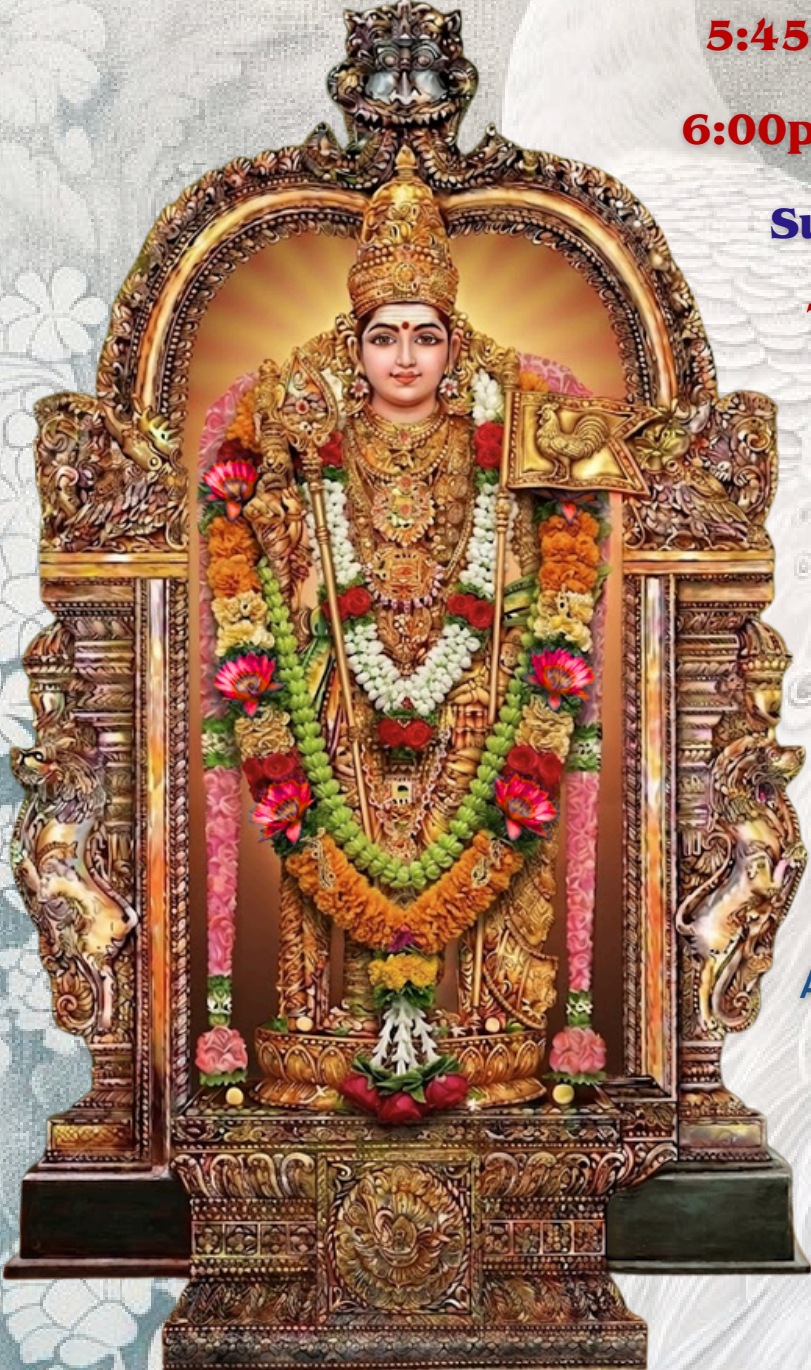
**5:45pm Subrahmanya Abhishekam**

**6:00pm SkandaShashti Kavacham &**

**Subrahmanya Sahasranamam**

**7:15pm Archanai, Aarathi,**

**Manthrapushpam**



**Abhishekam Sponsorship \$51**

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## Dear Devotees,

In our pursuit of spiritual growth, we often engage in various acts of charity and service. "Pootha Karma" encompasses noble deeds like Veda / Go Samrakshanam (preservation of Vedas/ Cow protection) and providing water and food to all living beings. The same Punya can be obtained by supporting the construction of a temple and its consecration. It is considered a greater punya than many forms of mahayajnas.

We feel truly blessed to have divine and beautiful deities in our Sri Varada Kshetram. We eagerly await the arrival of Sri Varada Aanjaneya Swamy, a magnificent Sundara Mangala Moorthy, from Mahabalipuram. This is a wonderful opportunity to participate in \*Pootha Karma\* and reap its benefits. We invite you to be part of this sacred project by sponsoring the pratishthapana of Sri Varada Aanjaneya Swamy.

Let us all come together to make this auspicious event a success and bring prosperity ( स्वम् Means - ऐश्वर्यम् prosperity) to our community. SVAM - Sri Varada Aanjaneya Moorthy - truly embodies this spirit.

Please ensure your family and friends are included in this meritorious endeavor. 🙏



Jai Sri Varada Aanjaneya



बुद्धिर्बलं यशो धैर्यं निर्भयत्वं अरोगता /  
अजाड्यं वाक् पटुत्वं च हनुमत् स्मरणाद् भवेत् //

*Buddhir Balam Yasho Dhairyam Nirbhayatvam Arogataa /  
Ajaadyam Vaak Patutvam Cha Hanumat Smaranaad Bhavet //*

*Intelligence, strength, fame, valour, fearlessness, freedom from ill-health, sharpness of wit,  
oratorical and conversational skills – all these will be begotten by meditation on Hanuman!*



*We are commencing the  
Paarayanam of  
Sundara Kaandam, Sri  
Rama Charita Maanas  
and Hanuman Chalisa  
every Tuesday at  
6.15pm from Oct 7, 2025  
as a pre consecration of  
Sri Varada Aanjaneya  
Moorthy. (SVAM)*

**Main Vighram Sponsorship  
(Shipping and Installation) for SVAM  
\$1004 (only 44 slots available)**

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**Mangala Moorthy Vighram &  
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1. Sundarakandam - \$504
2. Ram Charith Manas - \$204
3. Hanuman Chalisa - \$104
4. Aarathi - \$54



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# Temple Updates



Akshaya Tritiya was observed with great sanctity on April 19. The day began with the auspicious Sri Sooktha Homam and Lakshmi Kubera Homam, invoking the blessings of Mahalakshmi for unending prosperity. This was followed by the chanting of the sacred Kanakadhara Stotram. In the evening, over 50 devotees offered a collective recitation of the Soundarya Lahari as part of the start of Shankara Jayanti celebrations. Dr. Venkat Swaminathan mama then gave an inspiring discourse on the divine meaning of "Akshaya," beautifully unfolding select verses of Soundarya Lahari and reminding everyone of the need for inner discovery and the boundless grace that flows from Ambal's holy foot dust—the source of creation, sustenance, and dissolution. The day concluded with a radiant Deepa Mahalakshmi Puja and Suvasini Puja.

On Day 2 of Shankara Jayanti, devotees performed Sri Rudra Japam, Shankara Stotra Parayanam, and Guru Vandanam with deep reverence. On Shankara Jayanti (April 21), abhishekam was performed to Sri Adi Shankara



# Temple Updates



**Congratulations to SVCC Barto Tamil Class students:**  
We are delighted to share the wonderful achievements of our Tamil class students at the recent LV Tamil Community New Year celebrations. Our talented students – Sai Rakshith Raja, Sai Lakshith Raja, Darshika Lakshminarayanan, Inba Karthik, and Aarna A. Raghuraman – brought great pride to our community and our temple by winning awards and showcasing their dedication to learning and preserving Tamil culture.

Their accomplishments reflect not only their individual hard work and enthusiasm but also the unwavering support and guidance of our committed teachers and parents. It is through this collective effort that our children continue to grow in confidence, skill, and cultural awareness.

At SVCC, we strongly encourage all our students to actively participate in community events and cultural activities. Such opportunities help nurture a deep connection to our rich heritage while building a sense of belonging and pride in our traditions.

We congratulate our young achievers once again and look forward to seeing many more of our students shine in future events as we continue this meaningful journey together.



# Temple Activities



We have volunteers ready to start Telugu language class  
If interested please reach out to Shalu - (610) 739 3228



## Tamil language class

Saturdays

10:30am-11:30am

Raghuram - (614) 734 4804 | Shalu - (610) 739 3228

## Sanskrit Shloka class

1st and 3rd Sundays

5:00pm-5:45pm

Shilpa (484) 725 8654



## Vishnu Sahasranamam class

Thursday

6:00pm - 6.45pm

Savitha S Bhat (610) 709 7226



## Bharathanatyam class

Thursday

6:15pm - 7:15pm

Roopa Nayak - (570) 449-9439





## TEMPLE ACTIVITIES

Tamil Language Classes / Sanskrit Shloka Classes / Youth Volunteer Opportunities  
For details, visit

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### Upcoming Programs

- Wed, Jun 3: Sankatahara Chaturthi\*2**  
**Fri, Jun 5: Shravana Nakshathram \*6**  
**Thu, Jun 11: Ekadashi**  
**Fri, Jun 12: Pradosham \*4 & Krithigai**  
**Sat, Jun 13: Sri Varada Venkateshwara \*1**  
**Sun, Jun 14: Adhika Amavasya (Nija Jyeshtha Starts on Jun 15th)**  
**Wed, Jun 17: Shukla Chaturthi \*2**  
**Thu, Jun 18: Shukla Panchami \*3**  
**Fri, Jun 19: Shukla Shashti \*7**  
**Thu, Jun 25: Ekadashi**  
**Fri, Jun 26: Annapoorneshwari \*5 & Pradosham \*4**  
**Sat, Jun 27: Navagraha Shanthi & Sri Varada Aanjaneya Moorhty \*9**  
**Sun, Jun 28: Pournami \*10**



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