

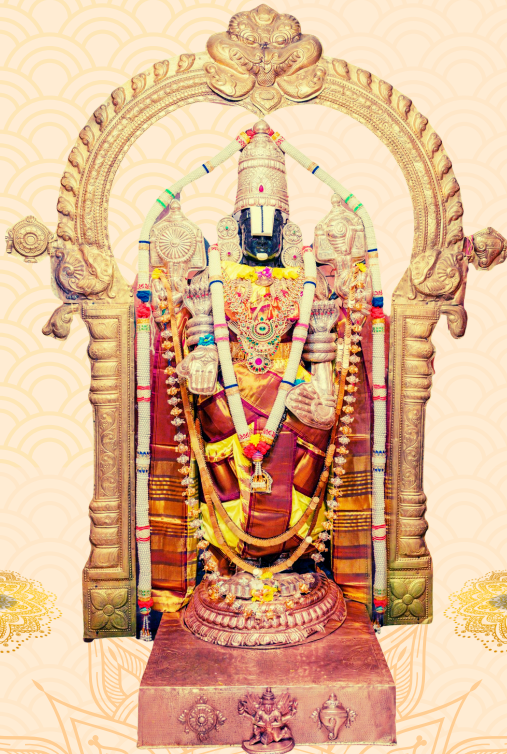
Sri Venkateswara Swamy Temple of Colorado

Cordially Invite you to the

Prathama Pushkara Prayukta

Maha Kumbhabhishekam

May 5 - May 10, 2025



विना वेंकटेशं न नाथो न नाथः सदा वेंकटेशं स्मरामि स्मरामि ।
हरे वेंकटेश प्रसीद प्रसीद प्रियं वेंकटेश प्रयच्छ प्रयच्छ ॥

Without you, O Venkateshwara, I am an orphan. I always keep remembering your name. O Venkatesa, kindly be pleased with me and bestow me with your love and grace.

By the divine grace of Lord Sri Venkateswara, who resides with Sridevi, Bhudevi, and other Parivara Devatas, the Sri Venkateswara Swamy Temple of Colorado, which was inaugurated in the summer of 2013, is now completing its 12-year journey, known as a Pushkara Kaala. Over these years, the temple has fulfilled its purpose both as a place of worship and a cultural center, with Lord Sri Venkateswara watching over the material and spiritual well-being of his devotees. While the divine remains eternal, shining brightly through time, the structures that house this divinity may, over time, require improvements and repairs.

The Agama Shastras prescribe a sacred ritual called **Kumbhabhishekam**, which is performed every 12 years to renew the energy of the Deities and reinvigorate faith among the followers. Kumbhabhishekam derives from the words Kumbha meaning vessel or pot and Abhishekam meaning a ritual bath. Re-consecration of the Deities is also called as Samprokshana. Before the event, and during the ongoing improvements, a Balalayam is set up with the Utsava Murthis. In accordance with Agama procedures, the priests temporarily transfer the Prana Shakti from the Moola Vighras into Mantra Jalam placed in Kalashas. These Kalashas are then positioned in the Balalayam for worship and nitya aradhana.

The Kumbhabhishekam is a **five-day event**, during which a team of esteemed priests from temples across the USA will join our temple priests to enhance the ceremony. A temporary Yagashala will be set up with six Homa Kundams (fire altars) to carry out the prescribed fire sacrifices (Sata Sahasra Ashtothara ahutis to be offered to the fire god). The daily religious activities will follow the practices of the **Sri Pancharathra Agama Shastra**, including **Japam, Homam, Kumbha Aradhana, Archana, Nivedana, and Purificatory rites.**

On the final day, **Saturday May 10th**, following the Maha Purnahuti, the priests will carry the Kumbhas filled with consecrated water possessing divine energy in a grand procession to the main temple accompanied by the vibrations of Vedic chants and the melodious sounds of Nadaswaram. At the auspicious muhurtham, the Acharyas will perform Samprokshana to the Gopurams and Moola Vighras with the sanctified water in the Kumbhas. During this time, amidst the sacred chants, the Divine Energy will be transferred back from the Kumbhas to the existing Deities.

According to the shastras, The Kumbhabhishekam that takes place every twelve years is as significant as the original Prana Pratishtha ceremony. Participation in this auspicious event is believed to bring numerous karmic benefits, offering a wonderful opportunity for devotees to support the temple. We warmly invite you to join us in this sacred ceremony, immerse yourself in the divine experience, and receive abundant blessings from the Lord.

Om Namō Venkatesaya

Schedule of Events

Monday, May 5 2025

Adhivasa Samayah

5:00 PM

Bhagavath prardhana, Samprokshana Anugna,
Sankalpam, Viswaksena Aaradhana,
Punyahavachanam, Raksha Bandhanam,
Rutvikvaranam, Mrutsangrahanam

6:30 PM

Govu (Cow) Pooja
Aswa Pooja
Yaagasala pravesam

7:30 PM

Vastu homam, Dwaratorana Dwaja
Kumbha Aaradhana, Soma Kumbha
Sthapana, Ankurarpana, Ankurarpana
havanam, Nyvedyam, Neerajanam

8:30 PM

Veda Swasti

Day 1 - Tuesday, May 6 2025

Prathama Divase - Prathahkaale

8:30 AM

Viswaksena Aaradhana, Punyahavachanam,
Dwaratorana Dwaja kKumbha Aaradhana,
Pradhana Kumbha Sthapana, Bimba Kumbha
Mandala Aaradhana

10:00 AM

**Arani Madhanam, Agni Prathishta,
Moolamantra Havanam, Viswaksena Ishti**

11:00 AM

Manonmana Santhi Homa, Laghu Poornahuti,
Nivedana, Mangala Harathi

12:00 PM

Veda Swasti

Prathama Divase - Saayam Samaye

5:00 PM

Chatusthaana Archana

6:00 PM

Moolamantra Havanam, Laghu Poornahuti,
Nivedana, Mangala Harathi

7:00 PM

Veda Swasti

Day 2 - Wednesday, May 7 2025

Dwiteeya Divase - Prathahkaale

8:30 AM

Viswaksena Aaradhana,
Punyahavachanam,
Dwaratorana Dwaja Kumbha Aaradhana,
Chatusthaana Archana

9:30 AM

Moolamantra Havanam, Laghu Poornahuti,
Nivedana, Mangala Harathi,
**Manonmana Santhi Havanam for new Utsava
Vigrahas**

11:00 AM

Karmanga Snapanam

12:00 PM

Veda Swasti

Dwiteeya Divase - Saayam Samaye

5:30 PM

**Chatusthaana Archana, Moolamantra
Havanam, Laghu Poornahuti, Nivedana**

7:30 PM

**Ashtottara Satha Ksheera Kalasabhisheka
Poorvaka Ksheeraaddivasam, Harathi**

8:30 PM

Veda Swasti

Day 3 - Thursday, May 8 2025

Triteeya Divase - Prathahkaale

8:30 AM

Viswaksena Aaradhana,
Punyahavachanam, Dwaratorana Dwaja,
Kumbha Aaradhana, Chatusthaana Archana

10:00 AM

**Moolamantra Havanam, Laghu Poornahuti,
Nivedana, Mangala Harathi**

11:00 AM

**Adhamothama (81) Kalasa Snapanam for
Srinivasa Perumal Moola Moothy**

12:00 PM

Veda Swasti

Triteeya Divase - Saayam Samaye

5:30 PM

**Chatusthaana Archana, Moolamantra
Havanam, Laghu Poornahuti, Nivedana**

7:00 PM

**Jalaadhipasam for Utsava Moorthis,
Mangala Harathi**

8:30 PM

Veda Swasti

Day 4 - Friday, May 9 2025

Chaturdha Divase - Prathahkaale

8:00 AM Viswaksena Aaradhana,
Punyahavachanam

9:00 AM Dwaratorana Dwaja Kumbha Aaradhana,
Chatusthaana Archana

9:30 AM **Moolamantra Havanam**, Laghu Poornahuti,
Nivedana, Mangala Harathi

12:00 PM **Madhyamothama (256) Kalasa Snapanam**
for Moola Moothy

12:00 PM Veda Swasti

Chaturdha Divase - Saayam Samaye

5:00 PM **Chatusthaana Archana, Moolamantra**
Havanam, Laghu Poornahuti, Nivedana

7:30 PM **Nayana Unmeelyanam and Pancha**
Sayyadhivasam for Utsava Moorthis,
Mangala Harathi

8:30 PM Veda Swasti, Ashtabandhana Samarpanam

Day 5 - Saturday, May 10 2025

Panchama Divase - Prathahkaale

7:00 AM Viswaksena Aaradhana, Punyahavachanam

8:00 AM Chatusthaana Archana

8:30 AM **Moolamantra Havanam**

9:30 AM Tatwanyasa Pranaprathishta Havanam

10:30 AM **Maha Poornahuthi, Nivedana, Harathi**

11:50 AM **Pradhana Kumbha Prokshana
Viswaroopa Sandarsanam**

1:00 PM **Sahasra Kalasa (1008) Abhishekam for
Moola Moorthy, Alankarana, Nivedana,
Mangala Harathi**

4:00 PM **Santhi Kalyanam,**
Veda Swasthi, Aseervachanam,
Acharya Ritvik Sammanam



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पापदारिणे लसन्नमस्तते नमः शिवाय, शापदोषखण्डनप्रशस्त ते नमः शिवाय ॥

**apadadri-bedha-tankahastate namah shivaya, paapahaari-divya-sindhumastate namah
shivaya paapadairiṇe lasannamastate namah shivaya, shapadosha-khandana-prashastate
namah shivaya**

Salutations to you, O Shiva, who holds the Tanka axe in your hand that crushes mountains of misfortune, who carries the holy Ganga that purifies sins, who destroys all sins, who is revered by all, and who excels in removing curses and blemishes.



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