

HOLLYWOOD TEMPLE

1946 Vedanta Place
Hollywood, CA 90068-3996
323-465-7114

Temple Hours: 6:30 AM–7 PM

MAY 2016

SUNDAY SPIRITUAL TALKS 11 AM
Sunday School 11 AM–Noon, Ages 6–Teens

1 RAMAKRISHNA PUBLIC DINNER

Swami Ishtananda
Vedanta Society of St. Petersburg FL
Sri Ramakrishna and Our Time
12:15 PM Prasad Lunch

- 8 Swami Sarvadevananda
Ultimate Truth: Full or Void?
- 15 Swami Sarvapriyananda
The Language of Paradox in Advaita
- 22 Swami Harinamananda
Pilgrimage—the Inner Journey
- 29 Swami Vedarupananda
Unity in Diversity

WEEKLY CLASSES 7:30 PM OR AS NOTED

- Tuesday 3, 10, 31 *Mandukya Upanishad*
Swami Sarvadevananda
Introduction to Vedanta
Swami Sarvapriyananda
- 17, 24
- Wednesday 4, 11 *Gospel of Sri Ramakrishna*
Swami Sarvadevananda
Swami Sarvapriyananda
Pravrajika Dhyana-prana
- 18
- 25
- Thursday 5 Pravrajika Sevaprana
Vivekananda's Practical Vedanta
- 12 Swami Atmatattwananda
In the Master's Steps
- 19 Swami Vedarupananda
Will Power
- 26 The Transpersonal Witness

Fridays Readings from the Direct Disciples

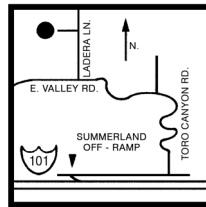
Sunday 1, 8, 15, 22 9–10:35 AM Sanskrit Class

Sundays 2:30 PM Spanish Scripture Class

OTHER EVENTS

- 7, 14 Saturday 2:30 PM Chanting for Beginners
- 7 Saturday 6:30 PM Ram Nam
- 14 Saturday 7:30 PM Kirtan
- 20 Friday 7 AM Vigil
- 21 Saturday 7 PM Buddha Birthday Celebration

30 Monday MEMORIAL DAY RETREAT
10 AM Reading Vivekananda's Works
1:30 PM Lunch
2:30 PM Special Program



SANTA BARBARA TEMPLE

927 Ladera Lane
Santa Barbara, CA 93108
805-969-2903

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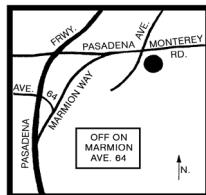
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SUNDAY SPIRITUAL TALKS 11 AM

- 1 Swami Vedarupananda
The Mountain Path
- 8 David Nelson
For the Love of God
- 15 Pravrajika Vrajaprana
Separating Sand from Sugar
- 22 Swami Sarvapriyananda
The Light Within
- 29 Swami Sarvadevananda
Ultimate Truth: Full or Void?

OTHER EVENTS

- 7 Saturday Interfaith Retreat 10 AM–3:30 PM
Moving from Distrust to Appreciation
with speakers from Islamic, Jewish, Christian,
Buddhist, and Hindu traditions
- 14 Saturday 5:30 PM Reading
Gospel of Sri Ramakrishna
6:30 PM *Mahabharata* at the Convent
- 21 Saturday 5 PM Class
Self-Knowledge (*Atmabodha*)
with Swami Sarvapriyananda
- 28 Saturday 4:30 PM Class
Nectar of Supreme Knowledge
with Swami Sarvadevananda

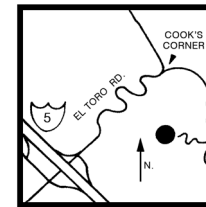


VIVEKANANDA HOUSE

309 Monterey Road
South Pasadena, CA 91030
323-254-1546

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- 8 Sunday Swami Sarvadevananda
- 15 Sunday Swami Sarvapriyananda
4 PM Meditation, Singing, Retreat
6 PM Reading and Discussion of
Conversations and Dialogues of
Swami Vivekananda



RAMAKRISHNA MONASTERY

19961 Live Oak Canyon Road
P.O. Box 408
Trabuco Canyon, CA 92678
949-858-0342

Visiting Hours: 9–11 AM, 3–5 PM

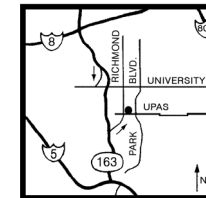
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- 1 Swami Yogeshananda
The Many, the One, and the Many Again
- 8 Swami Mahayogananda
“I Throw Myself on Thy Mercy”
- 15 Swami Sarvadevananda
Ultimate Truth: Full or Void?
- 22 Swami Brahavidyananda
Work as a Religion
- 29 Swami Atmavidyananda
The Diversity of Ramakrishna's Disciples

OTHER EVENTS

Wednesdays 7:30 PM Scripture Class



SAN DIEGO CENTER

1440 Upas Street
San Diego, CA 92103-5129
619-291-9377

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WEEKEND SPIRITUAL TALKS 11 AM

- 1 Sunday Swami Harinamananda
Pilgrimage—the Inner Journey
- 8 Sunday Swami Brahavidyananda
Tasting Samadhi in Everyday Life
- 14 Saturday Swami Sarvadevananda
Ultimate Truth: Full or Void?
- 22 Sunday Swami Vedarupananda
Will Power
- 28 Saturday Swami Atmavidyananda
The Diversity of Ramakrishna's Disciples

OTHER EVENTS

Tuesdays 6:15 PM *Vedantasara* Class

About the Vedanta Society

Vedanta teaches that man's real nature is divine, that the true object of human life is to unfold and manifest this divinity, and that truth is universal. Vedanta accepts all the religions of the world and reveres the great prophets, teachers and sons of God, because it recognizes the same divine inspiration in all.

The Vedanta Society of Southern California was founded in 1930 and incorporated as a non-profit religious corporation in 1934. The Society maintains a temple, convent, and monastery in both Hollywood and Santa Barbara; a monastery and shrine each in San Diego and Trabuco Canyon; and the Vivekananda House in South Pasadena. There are a number of official Vedanta societies in the United States, Europe and South America. Although the societies are under the spiritual guidance of the Ramakrishna Order of India, each is an independent, self-supporting unit.

Membership is open to those who are seriously interested in the teachings of Vedanta and have attended lectures and classes for some time. In addition, an interview with Swami Sarvadevananda, the Minister, is required.

Interviews with speakers are available after their talks.

Private instruction is also available from Swami Sarvadevananda to those who have attended classes and lectures for some time and want to deepen their spiritual life in the path of meditation. There is no charge for this instruction. Appointments may be made at the local centers.

Information and books on Vedanta and other religions are available at our bookshops and websites.

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Mon–Sat: 10 AM–12:30 PM, 2–5 PM
Sun: 10–11 AM, Noon–5 PM
Closed Wednesdays

Santa Barbara Bookshop Hours

Mon–Sat: 11 AM–5 PM
Sundays: 10 AM–1 PM
Closed Wednesdays

Trabuco Bookshop Hours

Mon–Sun: 10 AM–5 PM
Closed Tuesdays

Websites:

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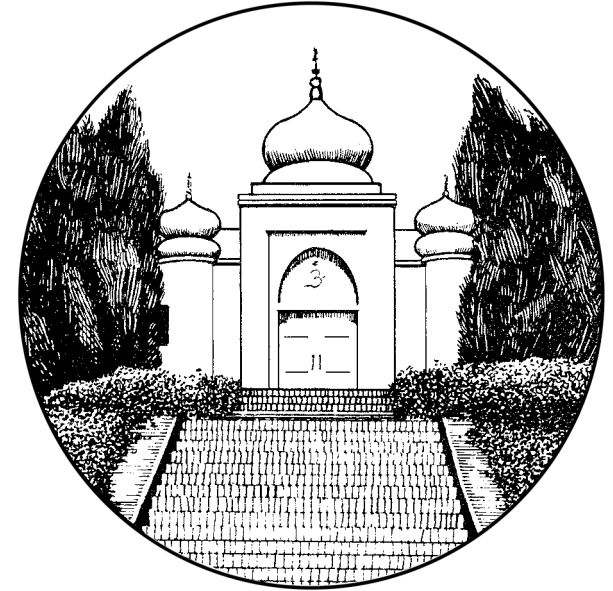
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*“The breeze of God’s grace is always blowing:
set your sails to catch the breeze.”*

~Sri Ramakrishna



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