

HOLLYWOOD TEMPLE



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1946 Vedanta Place
Hollywood, CA 90068
323 465 7114

Temple Hours 6:30 AM–7 PM

Bookshop Hours

Mon–Sat 10 AM–12:30 PM & 2–5 PM

Sun 10–11 AM, Noon–5 PM

Bookshop Closed Wednesdays

DECEMBER 2019

Sunday Spiritual Talks 11 AM

- 1 Dr. Seuss and You:
Moral Lessons for Later Life
Pravrajika Vidyaprana
- 8 “I Have a Mother”
Swami Sarvadevananda
- 15 **HOLY MOTHER PUJA**
10 AM Puja
1 PM Homa Fire and Prasad
2:30 PM Special Program
5:15 PM Talk by Swami
Sarvadevananda
6 PM Special Arati
- 22 Own the Day
Swami Mahayogananda
- 29 Letting Go
Swami Vedarupananda

🌀 Classes 🌀

Tuesday 7:30 PM

Nectar of Supreme Knowledge

3, 10, 17 Swami Sarvadevananda

24, 31 See Other Events

Wednesday 7:30 PM

Gospel of Sri Ramakrishna

4, 11 Swami Atmatattwananda

18 Swami Sarvadevananda

25 Christmas Day - No Class

Thursday 7:30 PM

5, 19 *Sri Sarada Devi and Her Divine Play*
Reading, discussion/ Pr. Sevaprana

12 Spiritual Self-Discipline
Swami Vedarupananda

Fridays 7:30 PM

6, 13, 20 *Eternal Words* of Sw. Adbhutananda

Saturday 2:30 PM

7, 14 Chanting for Beginners

Sundays 9–10:35 AM

Sanskrit Class

Sukirtha Alagarswamy

Sundays/Domingos 2:30 PM

Spanish Scripture Class

Swami Dhyanyogananda

(in person or live video)

🌀 Other Events 🌀

7 **Saturday 9 AM–12:30 PM** Karma Yoga Day

7 **Saturday 6:30 PM** Ram Nam

24 **Tuesday 6:30 PM** Christmas Readings & Carols

27 **Friday 7 AM** Vigil

31 **Tuesday 11:30 PM** New Year’s Eve Meditation

VIVEKANANDA HOUSE

309 Monterey Road
South Pasadena, CA 91030
323 254 1546

Visits by Appointment



SOUTH PASADENA

DECEMBER 2019

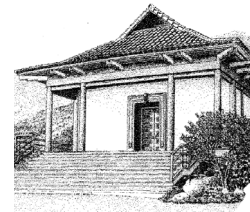
8 Sunday 4 PM

Retreat with Swami Sarvadevananda

4 PM Meditation and Singing

6 PM *The Letters of Swami Vivekananda*
Reading and Discussion

SANTA BARBARA TEMPLE



SANTA BARBARA

927 Ladera Lane
Santa Barbara, CA 93108
805 969 2903

Temple Hours

6:30 AM–7 PM

Bookshop Hours

Mon–Sat 11 AM–5 PM

Sun 10 AM–1 PM

Bookshop Closed Wednesdays

DECEMBER 2019

Sunday Spiritual Talks 11 AM

1 “There is No Wealth
Equal to Contentment”
Swami Sarvadevananda

8 Letting Go
Swami Vedarupananda

15 Shakti: One and Many
David Nelson

22 Faith, Hope, Charity
Pravrajika Krishnaprana

29 “Come Unto Me, All Ye”
Swami Sarvadevananda

🌀 Other Events 🌀

7, 14, 21 **Saturday 5:30 PM** Reading from
the *Gospel of Sri Ramakrishna*
6:30 PM *Ramayana* at the Convent

18 **Wednesday 11 AM HOLY MOTHER PUJA**

24 **Tuesday 6:15 PM** Christmas Eve Program
Nativity Reading/Sing-Along Carols

28 **Saturday 4:30 PM** Class
Nectar of Supreme Knowledge
Swami Sarvadevananda

31 **Tuesday 11:30 PM** New Year’s Eve

RAMAKRISHNA MONASTERY



ORANGE COUNTY

19961 Live Oak Canyon Road
PO Box 408
Trabuco Canyon, CA 92678
949 858 0342

Daily Visiting Hours

9–11 AM, 3–5 PM

Bookshop Hours

Mon–Fri 9 AM–11 AM & 3 PM–5 PM

Sat & Sun 10 AM–5 PM

Bookshop Closed Tuesdays

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Sunday Spiritual Talks 11 AM

1 Letting Go
Swami Vedarupananda

8 Rediscover Your Motivation
Swami Dhyanyogananda

15 What Do We Want?
Swami Brahmavidyananda

22 Christmas Program
Talk by *Swami Sarvadevananda*
Christmas Readings and Carols
followed by Potluck Buffet

29 Seven Stages of Knowledge
Swami Satyamayananda

🌀 Other Events 🌀

4, 11, 18 **Wednesday 7:30 PM** Scripture Class

Sundays 2:30 PM Spanish Scripture Class
Swami Dhyanyogananda (live or live video)

December 11, 1910 Cambridge, Mass.

Beloved Mother,

**This morning early I went to church.
All the people there were thinking
of Mary, the Mother of Jesus, and
suddenly I thought of you. Your dear
face, and your loving look.**

— Sister Nivedita to Holy Mother

SAN DIEGO CENTER

1440 Upas Street
San Diego, CA 92103
619 291 9377

Visits by Appointment



SAN DIEGO

DECEMBER 2019

Spiritual Talks 11 AM SATURDAY or as noted

- 7 **10 AM** Christian Mysticism:
One River Many Streams
Peter Bolland
- 15 **SUNDAY 10 AM HOLY MOTHER PUJA**
12:15 PM Program
1 PM Potluck Lunch
- 21 "I Have a Mother"
Swami Sarvadevananda
- 28 Seven Stages of Knowledge
Swami Satyamayananda

Other Events

- 3, 10, 17 **Tuesday 6:15 PM** Scripture Class
- 24 **Tuesday** Christmas Eve Program
5:45 PM Puja
7 PM Christmas Carols
7:45 PM Potluck Vegetarian Supper

PIÑON HILLS RETREAT

720 Sage Road
PO Box 720575
Piñon Hills, CA 92372
949 326 3002



HIGH DESERT

DECEMBER 2019

- 7, 21 **Saturday 10 AM** Scripture Class
- 28 **Saturday Retreat 9:30 AM-4 PM**
Svetasvetara Upanishad
Pravrajika Dayaprana

ABOUT VEDANTA

Vedanta teaches that humanity'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 incarnations 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; the Vivekananda House in South Pasadena, and a Retreat in Pinon Hills. 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. Applications are available in the Society office and bookshop.

Private instruction is 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.

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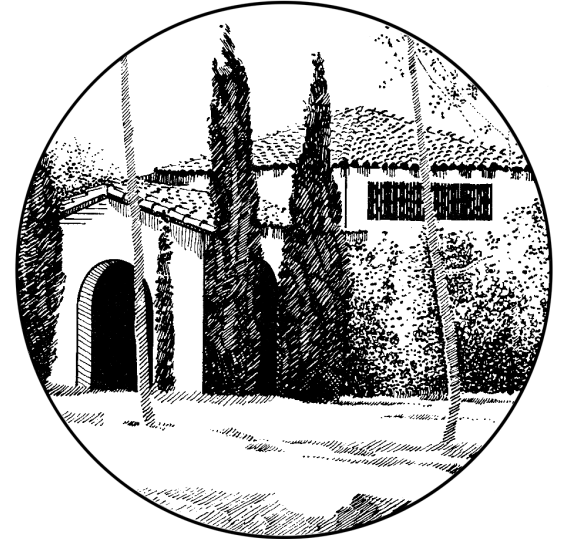
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DATED MATERIAL



"And she brought forth her firstborn child, and wrapped him in swaddling clothes, and laid him in a manger, because there was no room for them in the inn."

Holy Bible, Luke 2:7



Ramakrishna Monastery
Orange County

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Ramakrishna Order of India

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SWAMI SATYAMAYANANDA
Assistant Minister

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