



The Hindu Temple of Greater Springfield (HTGS)
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Tax-Exempt 501(C) (3) Organization

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Weekly Bulletin

Namaste!

Administrative News

New temple construction is moving swiftly along according to schedule. Please see the latest updates from our Construction committee:

Fire /Water main is complete and has been pressure tested and witnessed by the Village of Chatham. Storm sewers and sanitary sewer complete except the installation of the lift station. Installation of new entrance is scheduled to start next week.

We will continue to provide updates as we make progress on our goals. Please stop by and take a look on your next visit to the temple.

General Body meeting:

The General Body Meeting scheduled for July 14th 2018 was postponed to a new date to be decided.

Please see the mid year report for details from our Chairman, Gopal Reddy.

Pictures are available from the Bhoomipuja groundbreaking ceremony [here](#)

Additional [video clips](#) and [pictures](#) links are from the historic event.

Hindi Classes: Classes will resume in the Fall.

For additional information, please contact Shobhabhojwani@gmail.com

Tamil Classes: Classes will resume in the Fall.

For additional information, please contact Kannan Krishnan at kannkris@gmail.com

Annadatha

Volunteers : Pramila Venigalla

Menu : MedhuVada (Garelu) with Chutney , Coconut Rice , Kheer and Mango Lassi

Annadatha signup: 2018 Annadatha sign-up sheet is available on the website now. Please sign up and support this program. Divya Paranjī Srirama is the Program coordinator for Annadatha program. If you have any questions regarding this program or would like to **Sign-up**, please contact Divya at divya.paranji@gmail.com , PH: 217 503 3816

PUJA Committee News

Guru Purnima - We invite you to come take part in the Guru Puja on July 27th to honor Sage Veda Vyasa and all the Guru Paramparas. Grace and guidance of the Guru are needed to dispel the ignorance, illumine the mind and ignite the wisdom within.

Guru Purnima is a much awaited festival for all devotees to pay respects to their respective Gurus. It traditionally falls on the Purnima day of Ashadh month and is dedicated to Maharshi Veda Vyasa who classified the Vedas into four, authored the 18 Puranas and the longest poetic epic Mahabharata containing one lakh verses and the Srimad Bhagavatam.

Devotees who wish to perform any rituals at home may contact Mridula Mara at calendar.htgs@gmail.com or 732-325-5335.

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PUJA Announcements

Date	Upcoming Puja Events for July 2018
Thur, July 26	Satyanarayana Vrat/Katha @5:00 pm
Fri, July 27	Guru Purnima @ 6:00 pm
Tue, July 31	Sankasta Hara Chaturthi @6:30 pm

Temple Hours: Monday – Friday except Wednesdays: 9 AM to 10 AM and 5:30 pm to 8 pm;
Wed: 6 PM to 8 PM; Sat. 9am to 2pm and Sunday: 9 am to Noon

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Please be aware that on non-festival days, although the temple is open on Wednesdays, the priest is off that day.

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