Shirdi Sai Darbar

www.shirdisaidarbar.org & www.bayareahindutemple.org

Pandemic: Information for Devotees: updated version May 02, 2023.

No COVID Restriction anymore in Temple, No Facemask required.

Sai Ram All Devotees, we are open every day now.

Please read below guidelines before coming to temple.

What's available in Temple for Devotees?

- 1. Baba darshan, Hindu temple side darshan, Sathya Sai darshan.
- 2. Saturday Shani Oil Abhishek is allowed 9am-9pm.
- 3. Devotees can bring Prasad offerings for Baba and for other Idols in Temple.
- 4. Temple is serving Prasad to devotees also in boxes, No eating and drinking allowed inside Temple.
- 5. Always check Temple website for Latest updates or Facebook page <u>www.shirdisaidarbar.org</u> & <u>https://www.facebook.com/shirdisaidarbarSunnyvale</u>

Robes Donation/Sponsorship:

 Temple will be accepting Baba Robes & Any saree/Dhotis for Bay Area Hindu Temple Idols Starting April 14th 2022. Check Temple website How to Donate/Sponsor Baba robes.

Kindly do not come to temple if:

- 1. You or anyone in your household is sick and has respiratory symptoms.
- 2. You or anyone in your household is high risk per CDC.
- 3. You or anyone in your household has travelled in the last 2 weeks.
- 4. Please make sure everyone eligible in your group is vaccinated.

Do's:

- 1. Self-screen everyone in your household for respiratory issues before coming to temple.
- 2. Stay in line and do not cross barricades. This helps other devotees and volunteers safe.
- 3. Prefer non-aarthi time on Thursdays to avoid crowd.
- 4. Devotees can do Aarthi Daily Now during Aarthi Time.
- 5. Monthly SathyaNarayan Vrat Puja Started already check schedule here:
- 6. Shirdi Sai Baba Parikarma is open for everyone Now , but Not during aarthi Time
- 7. Baba Abhishek open Now after kakad aarthi.
- 8. Darshan and touching of baba Padukas is allowed Now.

What's not available in Temple for Devotees?

- 1 No Priest available for Any Puja.
- 2. Temple do not provide Any Priest services. No car Puja, No Activities related with priest.

Prasad:

1. Devotees can bring Prasad and Ask volunteers for offer.

Other General Information:

- 1. Kindly wait outside the temple with social distancing if front desks lobby are busy.
- 2. Please have your children with you and do not let them run around or mingle with others.
- 3. While Aarthi is going on, kindly do not hold the line or exit the line and stand elsewhere.
- 4. Please use the center carpet area in Baba hall to pray for a longer time.
- 5. Please be patient with others in the line as some people take time to offer their prayers.
- 6. Please do not step into the center carpet area in Sathya Sai Hall or Shiva Hall.

Shirdi Sai Baba aarthi timings:

Kakad aarthi: 7:00am Madhyan aarthi: 12pm Dhoop aarthi: 6:30pm Shej aarthi: 8:30pm

Donation:

If you would like to offer a donation, we sincerely thank you for supporting the temple during this time. Kindly drop cash in Hundi without touching the surfaces. For electronic payments, we prefer you make the payment online from home or mobile device as much as possible. For convenience, we have set-up Square terminals near the Exit door, for anyone who likes to donate through credit card in the temple.Online Donation Help: Ways to donate Shirdi Sai Darbar http://shirdisaidarbar.org/ways_you_can_donate.html

Contact: www.shirdisaidarbar.org

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