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Temple is open seven days a week from
8:30am - 12:00noon (M-F); 8:00am - 1:00pm (weekends)
and again from **5:00pm - 8:30pm (M-S)**

REGULAR ACTIVITIES

Daily **Pooja** and **Aarti** to all deities performed every day 9:00 - 11:00 am
Managalarati is performed every evening at 7:30 pm

Weekly Schedule of events:

MONDAY: Sri Rudrabhishekam from 6:30 pm to 7:30 pm

THURSDAY: Bhajan and Satsangh from 8:00 pm to 9:15 pm

SATURDAY: Sri Venkateswara Suprabhatam from 8:00 to 8:30 am
Sri Venkateswara Abhishekam from 8:30 to 10:00 am

Poornima: Sri Satyanarayana Puja & Katha from 6:30 to 8:00 pm

\$101/main sponsoring family which performs the
pooja with the priest.

\$16 people participating in pooja by Sankalpam
& archana.

Sai Bhajan – 1st Sunday of every month between 5 and 6 pm.

Ganesha & Kartikeya Abhishekam – 2nd Sunday of every month
between 10 and 12 noon.

Annual membership contribution per family is only \$51.00

Please send your membership today!

**Transportation is to be arranged by devotees, if the religious
services are to be performed at individual homes by the priest.**

Please make all checks payable to **HTCCSC** and request a receipt for all check and cash donations.

For Pooja, Priest Services and use of Temple premises, please contact: **Mrs. Arunima Sinha** at **781-9054**.

UTSAV 2007!

**Festivals of India..
Festivals of Different States..
All celebrated in One Place!! All celebrated at a time!!!**

**Come, Join the celebrations!!
Saturday Nov 3, 2007, between 3 and 5 pm**

Diwali 2007!

Friday, Nov 09, 2007!

**Deepa Pooja, Lakshmi Pooja
Govardhana Pooja, Anna Kootam, Aya-vyaya Pustaka Pooja**

Pooja starts at 7 pm followed by Dinner Prasad.

Grand Annual Garba!!

Saturday, Oct 13, 2007!

**At
National Guard Armory
Starts at 7 pm.**

Bala Gokulam at HTCCSC

Bala Gokulam is being conducted successfully for children at our temple between 10.30 am and 12 noon. Every Sunday, children look forward to coming to the temple, meeting with their friends, having a lot of fun while learning about our religion and culture.

Enroll your child(ren) today!

Support our Temple!

Support our temple! Be part of our dollar-a-day program! Pledge any amount every day as a contribution (\$1, \$2, \$5). Instill the habit of contribution in young kids – kids and students can contribute any amount that they'd like – 25 cents or 50 cents / day. No amount is too small!!

Please mark your calendars for these special celebrations.

Sharat Navarathra begins on **Friday, October 12, 2007**. We'll have Ganesh Pooja, Kalash Sthaapana, Navagraha Pooja, Devi Pooja and Chandi Paat starting at 10.30 am. Daily Pooja, Chandi Paat and Kumkumarchanaa will be performed.

Lalitha Sahasra Nama & Kumkumarchanaa will be on **Saturday, Oct 20, 2007 @ 10.30 am**.

Ashtami Chandi homam will be performed by our priest on **Friday, Oct 19, 2007** by 5.30 pm.

We'll have **Vijaya Dasami Pooja** and Pooja by BalaGokulam kids on **Sunday, Oct 21, 2007**.

Sponsoring families are asked to participate and perform the Pooja atleast one day @ the temple by 7.00 pm.

Suggested Sponsorship:

All Navarathri events (for all 10 days)	- \$151
Ashtami Paat, Pooja, Homam & Lalitha Sahasra Nama	- \$101
1 day Ashtami Paat, Chandi Paat & Pooja	- \$51
Homam	- \$31
Lalitha Sahasra Nama	- \$31

During Sharat Navarathra, we will have **Ras Garba** at the temple every night between **8 and 10 pm**.

We will be celebrating the **Grand Garba** at the **National Guard Armory** on **Saturday October 13, 2007** starting @ **7 pm**.

Sarat Purnima Satya Narayana Pooja and Katha will start at 6.30 pm on **Friday, Oct 26, 2007**, followed by **Garba at 8 pm**.

Karva Chaut is on **Monday, Oct 29, 2007**. Pooja will be done at the temple @ 4.30 pm.

UTSAV 2007 will be celebrated at our temple grounds on **Saturday, Nov 3, 2007**, between 3 and 5 pm. Please contact Joshiji for volunteering opportunities.

Diwali is on **Friday, Nov 9, 2006**. Deepa Poojan, Anna Kootam, Lakshmi Pooja, Govardhana Giri Pooja and Aya-vyaya Pustaka Pooja will be performed, starting at 7 pm, followed by dinner Prasad.

Tulsi Vivah will be celebrated at our temple on **Thursday, Nov 22, 2007** at 6.30 pm.

Karthik Purnima and Karthik Deepam will be on **Saturday, Nov 24, 2007** at 6.30 pm.

Geetha Jayanthi will be celebrated on **Thursday, Dec 20, 2007** at 7.00 pm.

For more details about any of the above programs, please contact Joshi-ji @ (803) 772 9650.

Upcoming Events...

Jan 01, 2008	New Year's Satya Narayana Katha
Jan 14, 2008	Makara Sankranti
Jan 26, 2008	Republic Day – Function by Kids
Feb 23, 2008	Grand Annual Thai Pooam
Mar 05, 2008	Maha Shiv Rathri
Mar 21, 2008	Holi
Apr 13, 2008	Sri Ram Navami
Apr 19, 2008	Hanuman Jayanthi

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