



Austin Hindu Temple & Community Center celebrates

AARUDRA DARSHAN *(Thiruvadhirai)*

Friday December 25th 2015



Program Details

9:00am: Abhishekam to Sri Viswanatha and Sri Nataraja

9:30am: Thiruvembavai Recitation, followed by Maha Harathi

4:00pm to 6:00pm: “KALARCHANA” (Dance Recitals @ MPRH)

7:00pm: Sri Nataraja/Sivagami Pallaku Seva

7:30pm: Thiruvembavai Recitation, followed by Maha Harathi

Please come to temple to celebrate this event.

Aarudra Darshan celebrates the cosmic dance of Lord Shiva, which is represented by the Nataraja form. The cosmic dance of Lord Shiva represents five activities – Creation, Protection, Destruction, Embodiment and Release. In essence, it represents the continuous cycle of creation and destruction. This cosmic dance takes place in every particle and is the source of all energy. Arudra Darshan celebrates this ecstatic dance of Lord Shiva. It takes place on the full moon night (along with Arudara Birth Star) in Dhanur Masam (Tamil month of Margazhi) and this is also the longest night in a year.

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