



Hindu Temple Of North Texas

Sri Ganesha Temple

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|| Om Sri Ganeshaya Namaha ||

Namaste Sri Ganesha Bhaktas,

Sri Ganesha Temple is moving closer to the grand Kumbhabhishekam in spring of 2019. We are pleased to share you with some important updates on the construction which have happened during the course of the past year. You will be able to visually see the progress during your next visit to the temple.

During 2017 a lot of accomplishments happened below the ground. We have completed underground plumbing, electrical, audio/video work and have poured the concrete slabs for the temple, multi-purpose hall, and the rest rooms. All water and storm drain lines are completed and connected to the city utility lines. Fire lanes around the temple premises, 173 parking slots including 6 handicapped parking slots and cross access to the North have been completed. Our main entrance to the temple premises which is completed will be connected to K Ave and the Median cut to make a left turn will also be finished before March 31st.

Sri Ganesha Garbhagruham work, completely carved in Granite, is nearing completion in Chennai. Out of the total height of 29.5 feet, 23.5 feet has been completed. The shipment and delivery to Plano will require three months. We are planning to ship them in the second quarter of 2018 to complete the assembly by the third or fourth quarter of this year.

The once in a life time opportunity event – “**Shadadhara Prathishta**” is scheduled for **April 27th & April 29th**. It involves installation of auspicious elements directly underneath the deity inside the Garbhagruham. The devotees who have sponsored Shadadhara “**bricks**”, are requested to mark these dates and take part personally in the event. We still have some more bricks for each deity for sponsorship.

The block wall construction for all three buildings have commenced and is expected to be completed by mid-April. The steel columns, decking, roof, HVAC and finishing will be completed in the second quarter. The last quarter of the year will witness the assembly of the Ganesha Garbhagruham, Indianization and completion of all shrines.

The management team is working on many activities of fund raising to help in completing the construction. During your next visit to the temple, we request you to stop by the front desk and sponsor any of the numerous items available under each of your favorite deity.

Bhaktas like you, who have extended support through pledges, donations and countless hours of service, have enabled to make this dream come true. Now is the time to honor your pledges. Once again, on behalf of the temple, I want to extend a personal invitation to you and your family to visit the temple to seek HIS Blessings as well as to see the construction progress.

Looking forward to meeting you in person at the temple soon,

Sincerely
K. G. Manmadhan Nair
Chairman, Board of Trustees

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