

**SRI SELVA VINAYAKAR KOYIL (GANESHA TEMPLE)
BRISBANE (South Maclean)**



Newsletter May 2026

Dear Sri Selva Vinayaka devotees,

Hindu Ahlaya Sangam Qld Inc (HASQ) cordially invites you to Sri Selva Vinayakar Temple Brisbane (South Maclean) for May 2026 Month Festivals.

Fullmoon/ Chitra Pournami / Chitrakuptha Viratham on Friday 01/05/2026
Vishnu Sahasra Nama Paarayanam - on Sunday 03-05-2026
Sankatahara Chaturthi - on Tuesday 05-05-2026
Nadesar Abishekam on Saturday 9/05/2026
Thirunavukarasar Curu Poojai on Monday 11/05/2026
Prathosha Viratham on Thursday 14 & 28-05-2026
Sri Ayyapa Swamy Abishekam on Saturday 16-05-2026
Lalitha Sahasra Nama Sthothram Parayanam on Sunday 17-05-2026
Monthly Chaturthi Viratham on Wednesday 20-05-2026
Vaikasi Visakam Festival on Saturday 30/05/2026
Full Moon /Pournami/ Sathyanarayana Poojai on Sunday 31/05/2026

Fullmoon/ Chitra Pournami / Chitrakuptha Viratham on Friday 01/05/2026



Program	Time
Abishekam for Goddess Abirami Amman	5:30pm
Regular Puja	7:00pm
Vasantha mandapa Alankara Pooja and Circumprocession of Goddess Abirami Amman (inner sanctum)	7:30pm
Prasadam	8:00pm

Vishnu Sahasra Nama Parayanam Chanting on Sunday 03-05-2026



Program	Time
Abishekam for Narayanar	10:00am
Sahasra Nama Parayanam, Manthra Pushpam and Hanuman Challisa	10:30am

Sankatahara Chathurthy on Sunday 05-04-2026



Chathurthi (Krishna Paksha) which comes after Full moon day called Sankatahara Chathurthi. For Lord Sri Selva Vinayakar a special Homam and Abishekam are conducted at the sannithy at 5.30pm. It is believed that the person who does Sankatahara Chathurthi poojai will get relieved from all their worries and troubles.

Special Homam and Abishekam for Lord Sri Selva Vinayakar are performed at 5.30pm

Nadesar Abishekam on Saturday 9/05/2026



Hydration time for Lord Nataraja is only 6 times a year. The yogis and siddhas look forward to this time so that they can take advantage of connecting with Nataraja.

The time has been sacred for the energy of Shiva to come into the earth plane.

Abishekam will be performed to Lord Natarajar at our temple around 5:30 PM.

Thirunavukarasar Curu Poojai on Monday 11/05/2026



Sampanthar, Appar, Natarajar, Sivakhami, Sundarar, Manickavasagar at SSVK)

Thiru Navukkarasar (Appar) was a seventh-century Tamil Saiva poet-saint. He is one of the most prominent of the sixty-three revered Nayanmars. He was born in a peasant Saiva family, raised by his sister. He lived to 80 years and is generally placed sometime between 570 and 670 CE. Appar composed 4,900 devotional hymns to the God Shiva, out of which 313 have survived and are now canonized as the 4th to 6th volumes of Tirumurai.

Special poojai for Saint Thirunavukarasar will be performed with morning regular poojai.

Pirathosha Viratham on Thursday-14 & 28-05-2026



Prathosha Viratham is one of the most important viratha among the Virathas performed to Lord Shiva. Pirathosha Viratham comes twice a month (Lunar). Shukla Paksha and Krishna Paksha, the evening of the Thirayodasi (13th moon day) between 4:30-6:00pm. Devotees worship Lord Shiva at this significant time. If the Pirathosham happened on Saturdays called Sani Pirathosham."

Pradosham is when Lord Siva drank the poison and saved all beings of the world from destruction. It is believed that when Siva descends into the earth plane into the consciousness of people and gives them spiritual awareness. Thus, pradosham liberates a person from an unconscious mind to a conscious and aware mind.

At Sri Serlvavinayakar Temple special Pooja, Lingotbava Stotram & Thiravya Abishekam are performed at Lord Shiva (Amirthagadeswarar)'s Sannithy at 5.00pm

Sri Ayyapa Swamy Abishekam on Saturday 16-05-2026



Special Puja/Abishekam will be performed to Sri Ayyappa Swamy on the first five days of every Hindu calendar month. These poojas are usually named after each Zodiac (Rasi) sign.

Ayyapa Swamy is the epitome of dharma, truth, and righteousness and is often called upon to obliterate evil. He fulfills all good, honest wishes and desires of the devotees and grants good health to the worshipper and their loved ones.

Swamy Ayyappa also bestows prosperity and success upon the devotees and controls the malefic effects of Shani (Saturn).

HASQ cordially invites all devotees to come and participate in this special Abishekam and get the blessing of Sri Ayyappa Swamy. Thiraviya Abishekam will be performed at Sri Ayyappa Swamy Sannithy at 10am.

Lalitha Sahasra Nama Stotram Chanting on Sunday 17-05-2026



Lalitha Sahasranamam (1000 names of Goddess Lalithambikai Devi) is a secret and very sacred text or mantra in Hindu religion. This mantra has been revealed to mankind through the discussion between lord Hayagriva and the great sage Agasthya.

Program	Time
Regular Pooja	9.00am
Sri Lalitha Sahasra nama Stotram Parayanam	10.00am
Special Deepa Arathanai to Goddess Lalithambikai.	11.00am

At our Sri Selva Vinayakar Temple Special Aarthi will be performed at our Abirami Sannithy with the Evening Pooja.

Monthly Chaturthi Viratham on Wednesday 20-05-2026



Chaturthi (Sukla patksha) which comes after new moon day called Chaturthi.

Ganesh Mantra

*“Vakratunda Mahaakaaya Suryakoti Samaprabhaa
Nirvighnam Kurumedeve Sarvakaaryeshu Sarvadaa”.*

Translation:

*“O Lord Ganesha of large body, curved trunk, with the brilliance of a million
suns Please make all my work free of obstacles, always.”*

Program	Time
Abishekam for Lord Sri Selva Vinayakar	5:30pm
Regular Puja	7:00pm
Vasantha mandapa Alankara Pooja and Circumprocession of Lord Selva Vinayakar (inner sanctum)	7:30pm
Prasadam	8:00pm

Vaikasi Visakam Festival on Saturday 30/05/2026



Every year, Vaikasi Visakam is observed as the birthday of Lord Sri Subrahmanyar, during the Tamil month of Vaikasi (Mid May - mid June). Visakam is one of the 27 Nakshatras (Stars).

Lord Subramaniam son of Lord Shiva and the chief general of the army of Devas(Gods) incarnated in this world to save the earth and end the sufferings of Devas from demons like Soorapadman. So the Vaikasi Visakam is celebrated to commemorate Subramanya Swami's Birthday or Avathara day. The Vaikasi Visakam is celebrated in a grand manner in Murugan Temples around the world.

Program	Time
Special Abishekam For Lord Subramaniam	5:30pm
Regular Pooja	7:00pm
Vasanthamandapa Pooja to Lord Subramanyar	7:30pm
Swamy circumprocession inner pathway	8:00pm
Prasatham	8:30pm

Full Moon /Powernami/ Sathyanarayana Poojai on Sunday 31/05/2026



*Lord Satyanarayan is a manifestation of Shri Vishnu, who is also known as Narayan, the one who symbolises eternal truth. The word "Satya" means Truth and "Narayana" means The Highest Being. Together they mean "The highest being who is the embodiment of truth". Hindus perform **Sri Satyanarayan Vrat & Pooja** for getting blessings of health, wealth, prosperity and relief from troubles and sickness. It can also be performed to get success in business or career and during social functions like marriages.*

Note: Devotees can contact temple priest in advance to perform the Poojai at our Temple

Brisbane Sri Selva Vinayakar (Ganesha) Temple and get the Blessing of Lord Ganesha



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