

SHANTI MANDIR  
2016 WALDEN CALENDAR

# December

DEAR FRIENDS,

In December, we take a hint from Mother Nature and turn our attention within. The focus this month will be on meditation, chanting the divine name, and deep contemplation at Shanti Mandir. For those seeking Christmas gifts, there will be two Gift Fairs at the ashram bookstore. We welcome you with love.

**SUBJECT OF THE YEAR**

**AṢṬĀVAKRA GĪTĀ**

(AVAILABLE IN THE SM GIFT SHOP)

**Saturday, December 3**

**KIRTAN**

7:30–9:00pm

**Sunday, December 4**

**SATSANG**

9:00am *Shree Guru Gita* • 10:00am – 12:00 noon Satsang  
Devayani will share about Gurudev's Argentina Tour

**HOLIDAY GIFT FAIR**

**Saturday, December 10**

**SHOP 'N' CHAI**

10:00am – 4:00pm

Enjoy selecting beautiful handmade gifts for the holidays while sipping on warm homemade chai.

**Sunday, December 11**

**SATSANG**

9:00am *Shree Guru Gita* • 10:00am – 12:00 noon Satsang  
"Aṣṭāvakra Gītā Continued," a talk by Larry Holmes

**HOLIDAY GIFT FAIR**

**Saturday, December 17**

**SHOP 'N' CHAI**

10:00am – 2:00pm

Enjoy selecting beautiful handmade gifts for the holidays while sipping on warm homemade chai.

**Sunday, December 18**

**SATSANG**

9:00am *Shree Guru Gita* • 10:00am – 12:00 noon Satsang  
"To like or to dislike, that is the question," a talk by Nityeshwari Bordoy

**Saturday, December 24**

**KIRTAN**

7:30–9:00pm

**Sunday, December 25**

**SATSANG**

9:00am *Shree Guru Gita* • 10:00am – 12:00 noon Satsang  
Kirtan – chanting the divine name



**NEW YEAR'S EVE CELEBRATION**

**Saturday, December 31**

**ARATI**

5:30pm

**KIRTAN**

6:00pm – midnight

Location: Temple

Join us as we usher in the New Year by singing the divine name

**Sunday, January 1**

**SATSANG**

9:00am *Shree Guru Gita* • 10:00am – 12:00 noon Satsang  
Video of Gurudev's Talk

*Desire alone is the world.*

AṢṬĀVAKRA, AṢṬĀVAKRA GĪTĀ, 9.8

**Every Sunday, *Guru Gita*, 9:00–10:00am;**  
Satsang (kirtan, meditation, and discourse), **10:00am until noon.**  
A vegetarian meal follows and everyone is welcome to participate.  
Hatha Yoga Classes **Every Monday, 7:30–8:30pm and every Thursday, 6:30–8:00pm**



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*Gift Shop open every day*  
10:00AM – 6:00PM

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