



Jayaguru

Nilachala Saraswata Sangha, Puri

America Saraswata Sangha

995th Sanga Puja Session Report

Date- 02-22-2026 (Sunday); **Time-**7:15 AM -11:55 AM (ET)

Palia- Shreyasee, Madhusmita Maa, Brundaban Bhai

Attendance: The link to attendance sheet is available on Amass website

Adhibasa session (02-21-26 (Saturday); 6:30PM-9PM EST): Adhibasa Puja was held on 21st Feb (Saturday) evening at Nigama Smruti Mandira along with NC pathachakra, where Stotra Bandana, book reading and discussion were done.

Sangha Puja Morning session (7:15 AM - 8:45 AM EST): The morning session of the puja started at 7:15 AM with Pratikhya. During Pratikhya, Biswajit Bhai sang "Asa Asa Prabhu E Mo Dina Kutire" and Nirlipta Maa sang "Sarasa Tumari Sarasija Pade" songs. During this time all the devotees joined the puja at NSM or via tele-conference. Sanujit Bhai offered Puja Archana and Aarati to Shri Shri Thakura. Suprit Bhai led "Bandai Guru Charana" and Stotra Bandana. After Stotra Bandana, Sarthaka Bhai read Shri Shri Guru Gita shloka #55. Biswajit Bhai led Parichaya Patra Patha, followed by Prarthana for both Utkala Pradeshika Sammilani and AMSAS Sammilani and prarthana for Bhakta Nivas Nirmana. Prabir Bhai read Sangha Sevaka 24th year, Part 2 - Bandanaa, Prarthana and Praarthanaakaarinka Prati. He read about the relation between Karma, Gyana and Mana; how Mana gets controlled thru Karma and Gyana is acquired once Mana gets controlled. After Sangha Sevaka Patha, Madhusmita Maa invited Shri Shri Thakura for Balya Bhoga and Bhaktas to have Prasada followed by invitation to Shri Shri Thakura and all Bhaktas to attend the second session starting at 9:45AM EST. The first session was concluded with Jayaguru Mahanaama kirtana. Balya Bhoga was offered to Sri Sri Thakura Maharaj. All bhaktas were served with Prasada.

Sangha Puja Second session (9:30 AM to 11:55 PM): The second session of the puja started at 9:30 AM with Aabahana. During Aabahana, Udita Maa sang "Asa He Parama Sundara" & Milu Maa sang "Kete Dina Aau Dekhuthiba Prabhu" song. Asana was opened at 9:45AM with Bhaba Bandhana mochana pranama gaana. Nihar Bhai sang "Pranati Ghena He Deba Nigamananda" bandana song. Mahesh Bhai read Nigama Upadesha Page 126 about "Faith is the Divine Eye". Debashis Bhai read last sangha puja report. Then, Santanu Upadhyaya Bhai joined from Odisha as NSS representative to lead book readings and discussion. He discussed how to take Gurunama while doing Karma, importance of Nama Sankirtana. Then, Brundaban Bhai sang prarthana song "Dayamaya Ghena Guhari" followed by Santanu bhai continuing his discussion and Q&A session. YA session started with Simran singing Prarthana song "Gurunama Gai Mana". Bhakti Maa conducted the YA session. After YA session, Shreyasee, Brundaban bhai and Madhusmita Maa did Bhaba Binimaya seva. Madhusmita Maa invited Shri Shri Thakura for the Madhyanna Bhoga and the Evening puja. Shilpi and Pallavi Maa invited Shri Shri Thakura to the next Sangha Puja to be held on 03-01-2026. Brundaban Bhai begged for forgiveness from Thakura and Bhaktas for any mistakes with the seva during the puja. The session was concluded with Bidaya Prarthana "Dinanatha Ehi Bhiskha" sung by Biswajit Bhai. Aasana was closed with Jayaguru Nama Kirtana and Pranama. Biswajit Bhai took the attendance for bhais & maas. Madhyahna Bhoga was offered to Sri Sri Thakura followed by Prasada Sebana by all Bhais, Maas, and YAs.

Shri Shri Thakuracharanashrita

Shreyasee, Madhusmita Maa & Brundaban
Bhai