## Advisory from Prasanthi Nilayam regarding COVID-19

## Om Sri Sai Ram!

Due to prevailing health emergency in the country and the Government of India advisory, the following announcement is made in the interest of safety of devotees and in prevention of community spread of Corona virus in Prasanthi Nilayam and other related institutions.

- 1. All the prayer sessions in Sai Kulwant Hall and Prasanthi Mandir, starting from Aumkar, Suprabhatham, , Nagar Sankeertan, Abhishekam, Veda Chanting, Bhajan sessions ending with Bhagawan's Divya Darshan will continue as usual. There is no change in the Mandir schedule.
- 2. Accommodation:

Dormitories will be closed for a period of two weeks.

All Overseas devotees, including those currently in India, are advised to reschedule their travel plans to visit Prasanthi Nilayam.

Those Overseas devotees who are already staying in Prasanthi Nilayam are advised to stay put in Prasanthi Nilayam and not to travel to outside places, unless they are leaving from here.

All Parthi yatras from various districts and states are put on hold.

- 3. Chaitanya Jyothi museum, Planetarium, Sanathana Samskruti Museum and Nithya Anna Seva canteen will be closed for a period of two weeks.
- 4. Shopping Complex and other Canteens (South Indian, North Indian & Western) are open ONLY to those staying in Prasanthi Nilayam, staff and sevadal for a period of two weeks.
- 5. In Sai Kulwant Hall, devotees are advised to offer their prayers standing in front of Mahasamadhi (unlike the usual practice of kneeling and touching the Mahasamadhi). The entry to Bhajan Hall is being restricted. The Mandir routine is not being disturbed, while exercising all precautions and abiding by the Governments' advisories.

Devotees, Staff, Sevadal and Visitors are requested to engage in useful and beneficial spiritual activities, and avoid non-essential interactions and social get together. Any further steps will be communicated from time to time. We fervently pray to Bhagawan to protect us, and the humanity at large.

Samastha Loka Sukhino Bhavantu!