



Hindu Temple (St. John's) Association

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Seventeenth Annual Multi-Faith Symposium on What Does 'Walking on a Spiritual Path' Mean to You?

Saturday, June 20, 2026



7:45 a.m. Registration begins

8:20 a.m. Invocation

8:25 a.m. Welcome

 Mrs. Sobhana Venkatesan
Dr. Jai Anand Ganesh

8:30 a.m. Session 1 Chair: Dr. R. Venkatesan

8:35 a.m. Walking on a Spiritual Path – a Hindu way

8:55 a.m. Following the Buddha's Footsteps... as Humbly
as Possible

9:15 a.m. Walking in the Light: A Daily Practice of Quaker
Spiritual Discipline

9:35 a.m. Q and A with Panel of Speakers

9:55 a.m. Nutrition Break (30 Minutes)

  Mrs. Meena Acharya
 Mr. Greg Dale

 Mr. Wyatt
Hirschfeld Shibley

10:25 a.m. Session 2 Chair: Dr. Veeresh Gadag

10:30 a.m. The Roman Catholic Church: Daring to Walk a
New Spiritual Path

10:50 a.m. Spirituality and Sikhism: Exploring Spiritual
Growth Through Inner Reflection and Service

11:10 a.m. The Entire World is Alive: Traditional Spiritual
Paths in Modern Judaism

11:30 a.m. Q and A with Panel of Speakers

11:50 a.m. Break (15 Minutes)

  Sister Elizabeth Davis

 Ms. Harpreet Kaur

  Mr. Rónán Martel

12:05 p.m. Session 3 Chair: Mrs. Meena Acharya

12:10 p.m. Steps Towards Spiritual Excellence

12:30 p.m. Spiritual Paths: Connecting Individuals and
Communities (Baha'i)

12:50 p.m. Walking on a Spiritual Path, from a Mindfulness
Point of View

1:10 p.m. Q and A with Panel of Speakers

1:30 p.m. Vote of Thanks

 Dr. Haseen Khan (Islam)

 Ms. Margaret Connors
& Ms. Andrea Glenn

 Mr. Andrew Safer
(Mindfulness meditation)

 Dr. Veeresh Gadag



Lunch! (Yaaaayy!) 



Registration fee \$ 15.00 to be paid on the day of the event (please inform ahead any allergy concerns)