



श्री श्री जगद्गुरु शङ्कराचार्य महासंस्थानम्, दक्षिणाम्नाय श्रीशारदापीठम्, श्रृङ्गेरी  
Sri Sri Jagadguru Shankaracharya Mahasamsthanam  
Dakshinamnaya Sri Sharada Peetham, Sringeri - 577139

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Varanasi

**Special Message on the historic occasion of  
Varanasi Shri Annapurneshwari Golden Shikhara Kumbhabhisheka  
to be performed by the Sringeri Jagadguru**

With the blessings of the Dakshinamnaya Sringeri Sharada Peethadheeshwara, Jagadguru Shankaracharya Sri Sri Bharati Tirtha Mahasannidhanam, Jagadguru Shankaracharya Sri Sri Vidushhekhara Bharati Sannidhanam is presently on a Vijaya Yatra to Varanasi. On Krodhi Samvatsara (Vikram Samvat 2081) Magha Shukla Dashami (February 7, 2025), Jagadguru Sri Sannidhanam will perform the Pratishtha Mahakumbhabhisheka of the new Vighraha at Paraamba Sri Annapurneshwari temple as well as the Kumbhabhisheka of the Swarna Shikhara Gopura being dedicated to Sri Annapurneshwari by Sringeri Math.

On this historic and auspicious occasion, on the day of the Mahakumbhabhisheka (February 7, 2025), the Jagadguru has graciously directed all devotees to place a Vighraha or picture of Shri Annapurneshwari Amma in their homes, light a lamp, devotedly recite stotras such as **Sri Annapurnashtaka** (composed by Jagadguru Sri Adi Shankaracharya and available at the YouTube channel 'sharadapeetham'), **Sri Lalita Sahasranama Stotra**, **Sri Saundarya Lahari** (composed by Jagadguru Shri Adi Shankaracharya), **Sri Kalabhairavashtaka** (composed by Jagadguru Shri Adi Shankaracharya), and **Sri Vishwanathashtaka** (composed by Maharshi Vedavyasa) and be a recipient of the unbounded grace of Bhagavati Annapurneshwari and Bhagavan Sri Vishwanatha.

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CEO & Administrator,  
Sringeri Math