



# AUTUMN 2017 to SPRING 2018

## MONTHLY COLLECTIVE YOGA RETREATS & EVENTS

hosted by Sri Aurobindo Sadhana Peetham  
Lodi Ashram, 2621 West Highway 12, Lodi, CA 95242

**November 17th • MOTHER'S MAHASAMADHI DAY • FRIDAY 7:30 PM Video of the Mother • 8:00 PM special meditation program**

**November 18th Retreat • CHANTING AND SPIRITUAL SOUND \***

Our focus will be on collective chanting, exploring its contribution to devotional experience and sadhana. There will also be regular retreat activities. Facilitated by Deborah & Margaret.

**November 24th • DARSHAN DAY (Siddhi Day) • FRIDAY 7:30 PM special meditation program**

**December 5th • SRI AUROBINDO'S MAHASAMADHI DAY • TUESDAY 7:30 PM special meditation program**

**December 16th Retreat • BUILDING THE INTUITIVE MIND \***

An exploration of one of the higher levels of the mind's consciousness known as the "Intuitive Mind". Including regular retreat activities & children's program. Facilitated by Deborah.

**December 31st • NEW YEAR'S EVE BONFIRE PROGRAM • SUNDAY 9:00 PM special evening program —overnight guests welcome (reserve in advance).**

**January 20th Retreat • SILENT RETREAT \***

Mother says, "It is in silence that true progress can be made." Activities will include meditation, karma yoga, potluck meals, children's program, etc. as usual. Facilitated by Nick.

**February 9th - 12th • SAVITRI IMMERSION • Collective reading of Savitri from cover to cover over 4 days. Facilitated by John Robert and Mateo.**

**February 17th Retreat • CELEBRATION OF AUROVILLE AND OUR RELATION TO IT \***

February 28th is Auroville's 50th birthday and we'll be commemorating this special anniversary with a variety of activities. With regular retreat activities. Facilitated by John Robert.

**February 21st DARSHAN • MOTHER'S BIRTHDAY • WEDNESDAY 7:30 PM special meditation program**

**March 17th Retreat • MUSIC AND SADHANA \***

This month we will be exploring sadhana through music. There will also be regular retreat activities including the children's program. Facilitated by Nick, Lynda Lester and Linda Marks.

**April 21st Retreat • REFLECTING THE DIVINE \***

Collectively delving into stillness and other practices to help us better reflect the Divine Presence, plus regular retreat activities. Facilitated by Karen Mitchell and Gloria Alvarez.

**April 24th DARSHAN • MOTHER'S FINAL ARRIVAL IN PONDICHERRY • TUESDAY 7:30 PM special meditation program**

**May 19th Retreat • MUSIC AND SADHANA \***

This month we will be exploring sadhana through music. There will also be regular retreat activities including the children's program. Facilitated by Nick, Lynda Lester and Linda Marks.

**June 16th Retreat • PLANNING RETREAT AS COLLECTIVE SADHANA \***

Please bring your aspirations, feedback, ideas, etc. for this collective review of the past retreats and planning sessions for the months ahead. Includes regular retreat activities.

\* Unless otherwise noted, retreat activities begin at 9:45 am and usually end about 8:00 p.m.

To register your child for the children's program, which adapts the adult program to kid-friendly activities, email [boyee7@gmail.com](mailto:boyee7@gmail.com).

*Things to bring: Work / play clothes, vegetarian pot-luck lunch and a \$10.00 offering. PLEASE ARRIVE EARLY!*



The Ashram also continues to hold an Om Choir on Mondays at 7:30pm and several weekly study groups on Sri Aurobindo & Mother's works on Wednesdays, Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays at 7:30 pm.

For further information call 209-339-1342, Ext. 4 (daytime), Ext. 5 (evening)  
— or check the website: [sasp.collaboration.org](http://sasp.collaboration.org)

*Note: If you would like to be on the email list to receive more detailed announcements prior to upcoming retreats, as well as news about other events in the northern California region, contact us at [sasp@auromere.com](mailto:sasp@auromere.com)*