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Navarathri Grand Finale

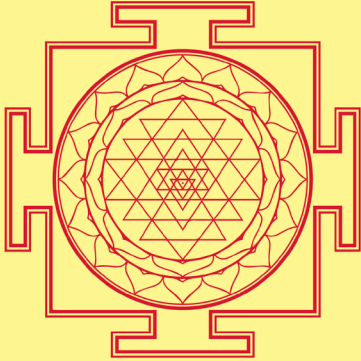
**Kamalamba
NavAvarana Kruthis
by Dikshithar**

Date : Saturday, October 20th, 2018

Venue : Kalyanamandapam | **Time :** 3:00pm - 6:00pm

Admission FREE

Enjoy the Spiritual Music & Srichakra Puja in songs



Navavarana refers to the 9 layers of the Sri Chakra yantra, one of the primary modes of Devi worship. Sri Muthuswamy Dikshitar composed the Kamalamba Navavarana kritis, expounding in each of the nine kritis, the details of the each avarana of the Sri Chakra, including the devatas and the yoginis. The set of songs leads the mental state from Jagradavastha to Savikalpa Samadhi.

Each song is composed using a Vibhakthi while praising Kamalamba. The ninth avarana kriti in Ahiri has all the 22 Sruti (notes) in the octave & all 8 Vibhakthis ; It is believed that such a fusion of all temporal elements in the same kriti is a musical way of expressing the advaitic ideal of "Aham Brahmasmi". Understanding of Parabrahma.

VOCAL

***Sandhya Anand & group; Subha Srinivasan & Group;
Nirmala Rammoorthy & Group***

MRIDANGAM

Dhamodaran Srinivasan

VIOLIN

Ravi Srinivasan