

**MANDIR TIMINGS  
EVERY DAY**  
8:30am – 12:30 pm  
6:00 pm – 8:30 pm  
**WEEKENDS**  
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# Shri Shirdi Sai Baba Mandir Chicago

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## SRI SAI LAKSHA ARCHANA

**JUNE 14, 2009 SUNDAY**

Sri Sai Laksha Archana is the reverent chanting of the sacred names of Lord Sainath for **ONE LAKH** times. This is done with all the devotees participating together in the chanting and the puja. The puja is done with different items such as flowers, turmeric and vermilion and Akshata. Each item has it's own significance. Puja with flowers indicate that we wish and pray to Lord Sainath to blossom our life like a flower and make it colorful and fragrant. Puja with turmeric (haldi) and vermilion (kumkum) is done for the Sowbhagyam (prosperity) for ladies and yash (fame) for men. Haldi signifies auspiciousness and kumkum signifies righteousness. Puja is also done with Akshta (rice mixed with sandal powder, vermilion, kumkum and camphor). Askhata is made of two words – 'A' and 'Kshata'. Kshata is the one which perishes. 'A'–kshata is imperishable. To attain the Imperishable Lord Himself is the significance of doing the puja with Akshata.

### Puja

**9:00 AM Kakada Aarati**  
**Holy Bath to Baba**  
**Darshan, Alankar & Archana**  
**Sankalpam**  
**Sri Sai Laksha Archana**  
**12:30 PM Mid-Day Aarati**  
**Maha Prasad**

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*Om Sai ! Sri Sai !! Jaya Jaya Sai !!!*