

**SRI KAILASANATHAR TEMPLE**  
**Tharamangalam, Salem, Tamilnadu, India**

God

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**Interesting Facts**

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The sculptures of Rathi and Manmatha are designed with rare skill that both are viewable from any one end. Stone chain, stone lotus, a lion are aesthetically finished representing the rare skill of the sculptors. A stone called Pavalakkal and Pattiakal ever cool in nature is at the entrance of the temple.

**Best Season To Visit**

The best season to visit this temple is Winter season. The best months to visit are September to March.

**Weather**

Highest - April to June (38°C during day and 26°C during night)  
Average - May (37 °C)

during the day and 21 °C during night) Lowest - October to February (30 °C during day and 18 °C during night) Monsoon season - August to September

#### Dress Code

For men the dress code is Shirt & Trouser, Dhoti or Pyjamas with upper cloth.

For women the preferred dress code is saree or half-saree with blouse or chudidhar with pyjama and upper cloth.

These rules are applicable for foreigners also. Shorts, mini-skirts, middies, sleeveless tops, low-waist jeans and short-length T-shirts are not allowed.

Pilgrims/visitors will not be allowed inside the temple if dress code is not followed.

## **Do's & Dont's**

Do bathe and wear clean clothes before you enter the temple.

Do respect ancient customs and co-pilgrims while at temple.

Smoking is strictly prohibited inside the temple premises.

## **transport connections**

Name

Distance

Contact Number

Tharamangalam Bus Stand

91 MTRS  
1800-419-4287

Omalur Junction

10.3 KM  
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Salem Airport  
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