

SRI VASISHTESWARAR TEMPLE

Thittai, Thanjavur, Tamilnadu, India

God

The main deity of this temple is Vasishteswarar, who is an incarnation of Lord Shiva faces East direction and He is swayambhu.

Goddess

Goddess Ulaga Nayaki Amman is consort of Vasishteswarar.

Interesting Facts

Sun God dedicates his puja to Lord through his rays on the Shivalinga in Aavani month (August-September). During the Uthirayana half year in the month of Panguni (March-April) Rising Sun worships Lord Shiva on the month.

A unique feature of this temple is a drop of water falls on the lingam (Main Deity) exactly every twenty four minutes from the roof.

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 25°C during night)Average - May (36°C during the day and 20°C during night)Lowest - December to February (28°C during day and

19°C during night) Monsoon season – July 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

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