



Message from the Mayor

It is my pleasure to extend greetings and a warm welcome to everyone participating in Kailasa's Supreme Pontiff of Hinduism (SPH) Nithyananda Day, hosted by the Nithyananda Meditation Academy and KAILASA Canada.

I am pleased you have found a way to continue hosting your event while carefully following public health and safety guidelines.

Toronto is home to a vibrant Hindu community who have made many contributions to our city. This year's theme for SPH Nithyananda Day is "how principles and insights from religion can contribute to thinking about the challenges facing the country." As you celebrate and recognize various community leaders, youth icons, and highlighting humanitarian projects, I extend best wishes for an enjoyable, entertaining, and informative event.

Toronto is one of the world's most diverse cities and home to people from all over the world. The valued contributions of diverse communities strengthen our society and contribute to our city's motto "*Diversity Our Strength*."

Events like these celebrate the rich cultures and traditions that make our city so unique, and are essential to a prosperous, vital and livable Toronto.

On behalf of Toronto City Council, please accept my best wishes for a memorable event and continued success.

Yours truly,

John Tory

Mayor of Toronto