



# "Gauri Vrat & Jaya Parvati"



## Bharatiya Temple

Will be hosting Gauri Vrat and Jaya Parvati Puja

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Gauri Vrat – July 21<sup>st</sup> – July 25<sup>th</sup>, 2010 @ 11:00 a.m

Jaya Parvati – July 23<sup>rd</sup> – July 27<sup>th</sup>, 2010 @ 11:30 a.m

Followed by Sarva Devata Aarti @ 12:00 p.m

Married women observe the Jaya Parvati Vrat. This religious observance starts on the 13th day of the month of Ashadh and is observed for 5 days. On the 5<sup>th</sup> night, an all night vigil or Jagaran is celebrated by staying awake.

Gauri Puja, worship of Gauri - begins on the 11th day of the bright half of the Hindu month of Ashadha (June-July). It is believed that Goddess Parvati got Lord Shiva as her husband after performing the ritual of this worship and they lived happily ever after.

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