



Buddha's Birthday 2022

Friday, May 27

Morning
5:45 p.m.

7:00 p.m.

Following Jukai

Temple Night/Jukai

Formal sitting at 6:00. Work as usual at 8:00 a.m.

Children's Jukai (in the Buddha Hall)

Refreshments for children immediately after the ceremony (in the dining room)

Temple Night concluding with **Jukai (*Taking-the-Precepts*) Ceremony** at about 9:00. An unstructured time for zazen, offerings, and individual devotions at the main altar in the Buddha Hall (children welcome until 7:30). People are invited to bring their buddha and bodhisattva figures from home to place on the altar.

Buddha Hall remains open for informal sitting

Saturday, May 28

Morning
11:00 a.m.

11:30 a.m.

12:30 p.m. (approx)

1:15 p.m. (approx)

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No formal sitting. Breakfast at 7:30, work at 8:00 a.m.

Pouring Sweet Tea over the Baby Buddha (drop your potluck dishes off in the dining room and then go out to the Buddha Hall)

Chanting and **Story of the Buddha's Birth**, followed by **Sleeping Sage** and **Parade**

Potluck Lunch

Bring a hearty vegetarian picnic salad or casserole to share (no desserts, please – cake & beverages provided by ZC)

Buddha's Birthday cupcake tower

Sunday, May 29

8:30 - 9:30
members)

9:30 - 11:00

Zendo open for informal sitting (with dokusan for out-of-town

Annual Corporate Meeting in the Buddha Hall (for members and Friends)

Monday, May 30

Center closed for Memorial Day

Tuesday, May 31

Center reopens with evening sitting