

同称十念

東京の中心で仏の名を呼ぶ

Please put your hands together and let us recite the Nenbutsu ten times.

Hello, I am Rev. Shodo Tsuchiya of Kanchi-in Temple, a branch temple of Zojo-ji Head Temple in Tokyo. Thank you for joining us for the 16th Annual 24-hour Continuous Nenbutsu session!

Due to Covid-19, Tokyo is currently in a state of emergency so like last year, we have been holding our Nenbutsu sessions completely online. We will be calling Amida Buddha's Name together with our friends from around the world from our main venues of the Enko Daishi Hall at Zojo-ji, from Kanchi-in Temple, and from Tamon-in Temple, starting from 1:00 p.m. on May eighth to 1:00 p.m. on May ninth Japan time.

Our YouTube page, which you can link from the Kanchi-in homepage, will show our staff in Kyoto and Nagano on the left side of the screen and our friends from around the world on the right. You can select one or the other to chant with. You can also see the schedule of our participants. You may also join us via Zoom at any time.

I am grateful to the continued support from the head temple Zojo-ji and the Jodo Shu Promotional Association of Tokyo. Much thanks also go to the Ministers' Research Association Shukubokai, the Marunouchi Hannya Association, the Free Style Priests Group, and the Shibuya Bozu Bar.

I would also like to express my deep appreciation to the General Director and all the staff of the Grand Head temple Chion-in, the Head temples Konkai Komyo-ji, Hyakumanben Chion-ji, and Shojoke-in.

From 1 p.m. on May 9, we will conduct a Nenbutsu Eko or merit transfer service. Nenbutsu Eko means transferring of, or sending others, the merit we received from chanting the Nenbutsu.

If you would like to send your prayers to your ancestors, loved one who has passed, or those who have passed of Covid-19, or for world peace, please send us your requests via our homepage.