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# Prime Minister Modi paid tribute to Mahatma Gandhi Acharya Lokeshji presented Jain prayer at Gandhi Smriti



HH Acharya Lokeshji, Founder of Ahimsa Vishwa Bharti in the presence of Prime Minister of India Shri Narendra Modi, Loksabha Speaker Shri Om Birla, Vice Chairman Shri Vijay Goel and many eminent personalities paid tribute to Father of the Nation Mahatma Gandhi during Interfaith Prayer held on the occasion of 74th Anniversary of Martyrdom of Mahatma Gandhi.

Acharya Lokeshji recited the Navkar Mahamantra, Mangal Path and the message of Lord Mahavir. He said that according to Lord Mahavira, man is great not by birth but by deeds. Man himself is the maker of his own destiny, good fortune is created by noble deeds. Acharyashri said that conquering oneself is more important than winning even lakhs of warriors on the battlefield.

On the occasion Buddhist, Zoroastrianism, Bhai's, Judaism, Jain Prayers, Readings from Holy Bible, Holy Quran, Holy Guru Granth Sahib, Bhagwat Gita and Shabad Kirtan were also recited by Interfaith Leaders. Renowned Singer Kavita Krishnamurthy & Dr. L. Subramaniam sung Bhajans to pay tribute to the Father of the Nation, Mahatma Gandhi.

## Ahimsa Vishwa Bharti started Voter Awareness Campaign

Ahimsa Vishwa Bharti Organisation conducted a massive Voters Awareness Campaign in

view of the assembly elections in five states. While addressing masses, Acharya Lokeshji said that elections are a holy festival of democracy, in which everyone must use their Vote. Acharya said that every voter should use his vote very carefully, because of this the future of the society is formed. Acharya Lokeshji appealed to the voters that vote should be given to those who are honest, free from Drug Addiction, Away from Casteist passion and Communal Bigotry and have faith in National Unity, Human Values and Social Harmony.



## Global prayer organized by Gandhi Mandela Foundation Mahatma Gandhi's path of Non-violence, Peace is more relevant in present times - Jainacharya Lokesh



A Global prayer meeting was organized by the Gandhi Mandela Foundation of America on the 74<sup>th</sup> Martyrdom day of the Father of the Nation Mahatma Gandhi. In the global prayer, Junapeethadhishwar Acharya Swami Avdheshanandji; President of Parmarth Niketan, Rishikesh Swami Chidanand Saraswati; Acharya Dr Lokeshji, Founder of Ahimsa Vishwa Bharati; Eminent Writer and Journalist Dr. Ved Pratap Vaidik; Sadhvi Bhagwati Saraswati; Justice K. G. Balakrishnan, Justice Dipak Misra, Justice Kedarnath Upadhyay, Justice Gyan Sudha Mishra, Dr. Savita Singh, Agus Indra Udayana from Indonesia and many other dignitaries were present. Organizer Shri Nandan Jha, General Secretary, Gandhi Mandela Foundation and Nanda Sandilya, Bhagi from USA specially welcomed all the Guests.

Junapeethadhiswar and President of Gandhi Mandela Foundation Acharya Swami Awadheshanandji Giri Ji Maharaj threw light on Gandhiji's spirituality and reiterated Gandhiji's idea of upliftment of the poor. World Peace Ambassador Acharya Dr Lokeshji said that Mahatma Gandhi's path of non-violence has become more relevant on the day of Martyrdom, truth and nonviolence are the only means through which an ideal society is built. Swami Chidanand Saraswati appreciated Gandhi's philosophy on equality, balance and harmony. Swamiji said that Harmony in the society is the need of the hour.

On this occasion, Justice Kedarnath Upadhyay, Justice Gyan Sudha Mishra etc. also expressed their important views. Organizer of the webinar Mr. Nandan Jha, General Secretary, Gandhi Mandela Foundation and Nanda Sandilya, Bhagi from USA welcomed all the Guests and thanked on completion.

### Acharya Lokeshji addressed Shri Dharampur Tirth Anjanshalaka Pratishtha Mahotsav in presence of Gurudev Shri Rakesh bhai



Acharya Dr. Lokeshji addressed Shri Dharampur Tirth Anjanshalaka Pratishtha Mahotsav in the presence of Pujya Gurudev Shri Rakesh Bhai where Acharya Lokeshji congratulated Dharmpur Tirth for the huge Mahotsav and appreciated the humanitarian and social works done by Gurudev Shri Rakesh Bhai where masses from Jainism were present and blessed with words of wisdom.

World Peace Ambassador, Eminent Jainacharya Lokeshji said that the world is created according to the vision. If the vision is changed in life, then the biggest work of the world can be done easily. Human beings store both positive and negative thoughts, but through a change of vision, the cause of bondage can become the cause of liberation, and the cause of liberation can also become the cause of bondage. Acharya Lokeshji said that it is commendable that Gurudev Rakesh Bhai ji is trying to awaken that vision within the people through these various programs so that human life can prove to be meaningful. Trustee of the SRM Shri Mahesh Wadher and Smt. Usha Wadher felicitated Acharya Dr. Lokeshji with a momento and Shawl and Eminent Bhagwatacharya Sharad Bhai Vyasji was also felicitated through the Mission at the same time.

Pujya Gurudev Rakeshbhai, Founder of Shrimad Rajchandra Mission Dharampur gave special address and shared about thoughts on the life philosophy of Lord Mahavira and Lord Mahavir's Birth, Childhood, Reclusion, Ordination and knowledge & the state of self with the followers present. On this occasion, Shri Nemi ji while addressing the Mahotsav offered the community a 250 Bed Hospital and gave announcement of 150 Bed Animal Hospital.

During the Mahotsav, Acharya Lokeshji met with Shri Vijay Rupani, former Chief Minister of Gujarat, Trustee of Shrimad Rajchandra Mission & Former President of JAINA Shri Kirit Daftari, USA; Trustee of SRM & President of JAINA Shri Mahesh Wadher, USA; upcoming President of JAINA Shri Haresh Shah, USA and Trustee of SRM Mayur Bhai Ghelani, Singapore.



### Acharya Lokesh and various religious leaders addressed the Vishwa Dharm Samvad – 2022 on Swami Vivekananda's Birth Anniversary

World Peace Ambassador Acharya Dr. Lokeshji addressed 'Vishwa Dharma Samvad' organized by 'Social Reforms and Research Organization' on the occasion of Swami Vivekananda's Birth Anniversary in Delhi where Swami Raghavanand ji, Singh Sahib Giani Ranjit Singh ji, Rabbi Ezekiel Isaac Malekar, Shri Vinay Arya ji, Brahmakumari Sapna Didi, Archbishop Anil



Kuto ji, Maulana Syed Hasan Imam Abidi of Islam, Shri Pradeep Bhaiya Ji Maharaj and various religious leaders participated in the Vishwa Dharm Samvad and shared their important views.



Swami Raghavanand ji said that religion brings together the rites of two different communities. Today's era the problem is that everyone believes in God, but no one believes what God has said.

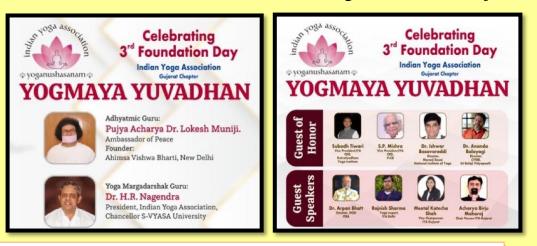
Acharya Lokeshji said that messages given by Swami Vivekananda in his life over subjects like Religion, Philosophy, Life, World fraternity still show the way for the welfare of humanity. Acharyashri said that the unity, integrity and social harmony of the country would strengthen through path shown by Swami Vivekananda.

Welcoming all the Guests, Mr. Pramod Kumar, the convener of the program, said that we will organize a huge Vishwa Dharma Samvad next year i.e. on January 12, 2023. Dr. Mahesh Chaudhary, Vice President of Vishwa Dharma Samvad played an important role in broadcasting the entire program live, the program was conducted by senior journalist Katyayani Chaturvedi.

#### Acharya Lokeshji addressed Foundation Day of IYA Gujarat Chapter

Acharya Lokeshji addressed webinar of 3<sup>rd</sup> Foundation of Indian Yoga Association Gujarat

Chapter where Dr. HR Nagendra, President of IYA, Dr. Ishwar Bosavaraddi, Sh. SP Mishra, Sh. Subodh Tiwari, Dr. Arpan Bhatt, Sh. Rajnish Sharma, Acharya Birju Maharaj & Ms. Meetal Kotecha Shah, Organiser of the Webinar were present.



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