

Prayer Of The Vedanta Society

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Our salutations to Him, who is the Truth of life and existence and Whom the Faithful invoke in various forms Our reverence to Him whose glory is sung in sacred hymns of the various scriptures of The world but whose limitless and infinite grandeur no mortal mind can comprehend. Our worship to Him whom the devotees meditate in the shrine of their heart and realize His Ineffable presence in their deepest contemplation. May He illumine our understanding and prompt our minds to the path of truth, righteousness and freedom.

Swami Aseshananda has been the spiritual leader of the Vedanta Society since 1955. He is a monk of the Ramakrishna Order of India. The Society was started in Portland in 1925, the original home being at 1877 SW land Ave. After Portland State University took over this property the Society found a new home at 1157 SE 55th Ave.,

which was dedicated as its new temple with the monastery in 1968. The Society's principle doctrine is "Truth is one, sales call it by various names."

