

Hindu

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The people of Hindu faith, mainly from the Indian subcontinent are a recent arrival in the Western Reserve. There are about three thousand families in the greater Cleveland area. The most common mode employed by us to fulfill our spiritual needs is meditation and prayer at home, alone

and with the family. In addition to it we engage in reading of the Holy books and prayers with friends and their families usually at each others home. The role of Pandits (priests) in our religious rituals and how we handle the lack of their easy availability will be discussed. The center of the religious activities of the Hindu faith is the Shiva-Vishnu Temple in Parma. Future expansion plans for this facility will be presented.