

**Invocation Mantras  
(For Study Group Classes)**

**ध्यान श्लोकानी (Dhyāna Ślokānī)**

श्रुतिस्मृतिपुराणानां आलयं करुणालयम् ।  
नमामि भगवत्पादं शङ्करं लोकशङ्करम् ॥ १ ॥

śrutismṛtipurāṇānām ālayam karuṇālayam ।  
namāmi Bhagavatpādaṁ Śaṅkaraṁ lokaśaṅkaram ॥1॥  
*Salutations to Bhagavadpāda Śrī Śaṅkara, who is the storehouse of  
Śruti, Smṛti and Purāṇa; and abode of compassion.*

शङ्करशङ्कराचार्यं केशवं बादरायणम् ।  
सूत्रभाष्यं कृतौवन्दे भगवन्तौ पुनः पुनः ॥ २ ॥

Śaṅkaraṁśaṅkarācāryam Keśavam Bādarāyaṇam ।  
sūtrabhāṣya kṛtauvande bhagavantau punaḥ punaḥ ॥2॥  
*I bow down again and again to Bhagavāna Śaṅkarācārya, the author of  
different commentaries and Bhagavāna Vedavyāsa (Bādarāyaṇa) the  
author of Brahmasutra who are the incarnations of Lord Śaṅkara (Lord  
Śiva) and Lord Viṣṇu (Keśava) respectively.*

ईश्वरो गुरुरात्मेति मूर्तिभिदविभागिने ।  
व्योमवद्व्याप्तदेहाय दक्षिणामूर्तये नमः ॥ ३ ॥

Īśvaro gururātmeti mūrtibhedavibhāgine ।  
vyomavadvyāptadehāya Dakṣiṇāmūrtaye namaḥ ॥3॥  
*Salutations to Śrī Dakṣiṇāmūrti who is all- pervading like space, but is  
called differently as Īśvara, Guru and the jīva because of conditionings.*

ॐ नमः प्रणवार्थाय शुद्धज्ञानैकमूर्तये ।

निर्मलाय प्रशान्ताय दक्षिणामूर्तये नमः

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**Om namaḥ praṇavārthāya śuddhajñānaikamūrtaye ।**

**nirmalāya praśāntāya dakṣiṇāmūrtaye namaḥ ॥4॥**

*Salutations to Śrī Dakṣiṇāmūrti who is the essence of Omkāra  
(Praṇava), embodiment of pure intelligence, purity and pure silence.*

समस्त जन कल्याणे निरतं करुणामयम् ।

नमामि चिन्मयं देवं सद्गुरुं ब्रह्मविद्वरम्

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**samasta jana kalyāṇe nirataṁ karuṇāmayam ।**

**namāmi Cinmayam devam sadgurum brahmavidvaram ॥ 5॥**

*Salutations to Guru Śrī Swami Chinmayananda (Puja Gurudev) who  
is Pure Knowledge, effulgence, established in Truth, the most exalted  
knower of Brahman, the most compassionate one, ever busy in welfare  
of the entire humanity.*