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Dear Devotees, Buddha's teaching are about generosity, "*dana*". This teaching characterizes Buddhism. Sharing is what a Buddhist does and it produces blessings now and in the future. Indeed the life of a Buddhist is one of sharing. All contributions, anything given, to the Temple is *dana* and always used in a prudent, careful manner. (*Dana* is described at <https://www.accesstoinight.org/lib/authors/various/wheel367.html>)

The Sangha and Management Committee would like to express their thanks to all who do *dana*. Be it sweeping leaves, preparing meals, updating the Temple's web site, etc; *dana* also may be done once or on a regular schedule; it may be short term or long term as, for example, the support of the Temple's web page.

One type of *dana* is monetary. The Temple's annual financial year ends on 31 March. As part of the year ending activities a financial statement is drawn up and submitted to an external auditor. The auditor reviews the transactions and produces a report. This report ensures that donations, *dana*, are used for the maintenance of the Sangha and activities for the spiritual growth of devotees.

The Sangha and Management Committee wish to recognize the kindness of donors. All donations are greatly appreciated and very meritorious. May these devotees be healthy, happy and move towards Nibbana.

Sadhu, Sadhu, Sadhu

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