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Nasiha of the Month

May this newsletter find everyone in the best of health, Iman, and closeness to God, Almighty.

We will be entering the blessed month of Rabi'a al-Awwal, the month in which our beloved Messenger of Allah, may Allah bless him and grant him peace, was born in. As we are coming into this month of that blessing that has lasted to this very moment, we should send salutations upon our Messenger in hopes that we are going to be close in proximity to him in the next world. We should also take the opportunity to connect to the Prophet, may



Allah bless him and grant him peace, by reading his sirah, and attending classes to learn about his beautiful characteristics.

This month of November also marks the time which we will be turning our times back by one hour. This change will then cause our daylight hours to be less. We should be very cautious when we drive because there will be children and adults out on the roads because sunset is early. Please drive with precaution and do not talk or text as this can endanger others.

We send our congratulations to our new Mayor, Patrick Brown, and all of the councilors, Board Trustees, and regional councilors. We hope that they are able to benefit our community and all of the citizens of Brampton. We wish them well in their roles.

Verily, whoever has been given the quality of kindness has been given his portion of good in this life and in the Hereafter. Maintaining family ties, good character, and good treatment of neighbors will build their heavenly abodes and increase their life spans. -Musnad of Imam Ahmad (Sahih)

Kindness is an important trait to have and a trait that Allah gives His servants. We should try to learn what kindness entails and ask Allah to give it to us.

No servant prostrates for the sake of Allah but that Allah will record for him one good deed, erase one bad deed, and raise his status by a degree. Thus, perform many prostrations. -Ibn Majah (Sahih)

This hadith shows us the tremendous benefit of making sajda to Allah. So the Prophet, may Allah bless him and grant him peace, encouraged us to make a lot of prostrations.

Mosque News

Ring of Peace in Support of our Jewish Community

On Saturday, November 3, our mosque participated in the Ring of Peace Outreach which saw Muslims from different mosques form rings of peace in front of a few synagogues. This was to show solidarity and support of our Jewish brothers and sisters who lost members in the hate killings in the Pittsburg synagogue last week and demonstrated our willingness to help to end hate. We thank our congregation members who participated.

Friday Night Family Class/Q & A and Dinner

Every Friday, we hold short lectures, followed by a Question and Answer Session, and dinner. Shaykh Zahir, our deputy Imam, and some guest teachers conduct these sessions. The start time for this lecture and dinner is after Salat ul Maghrib. **Please join us every Friday and bring your family.** It will be an opportunity to learn and ask questions.



Sister's Quran Program

There is a monthly sister's Quran program. Sisters can choose a juz to read for the month, if able, and on the second Sunday of every month at 11 am, there is a gathering of the sisters for the Dua' of Khatm and a talk on how to improve one's connection to the Quran and to the Prophet. This lesson is conducted by Ustadha Saiema Din Syed, who studied Islam and Quran for 6 years in Damascus, Syria under some of the premiere scholars of Damascus. For more information, please email: info@lotetree.ca

Quotes of the Month

Sufyan ibn Uyaynah reported: Ayyub As-Sakhtiyani, may Allah have mercy on him, said:

The most daring of people to issue religious verdicts are those with the least knowledge of the disagreements of the scholars. The most restrained of people from issuing religious verdicts are those with the most knowledge of the disagreements of the scholars.

-Jāmi' Bayān al-'Ilm wa Faḍlih

Ibn Abi Dunya reported: Hasan Al-Basri, may Allah have mercy on him, said:

A man among the companions of the Messenger of Allah, peace and blessings be upon him, said: By the One in whose hand is my soul, if you wish I will swear to you by Allah that the most beloved servants to Allah are those who cause Allah to be loved by his servants and who strive in the earth with good will.

-al-Awliya' li-Ibn Abi Duniya

JUMU'AH SALAT

1st Jumu'ah: 12:30 p.m. Salat: 1:00 p.m

2nd Jumu'ah: 1:45 p.m. Salat: 2:10 p.m

KHATIBS FOR JUMU'AH

November 2:	1st: Ustadh Yusuf 2nd: Hafiz Mahmood
November 9:	1st: Sh. Zahir Bacchus 2nd: Br. Fareed
November 16:	1st: Dr. Shabir Ali 2nd: Hafiz Mahmood
November 23:	1st: Sh. Talal Ahdab 2nd: Br. Abdullah
November 30:	1st: Sh. Zahir Bacchus 2nd: Br. Abdullah