

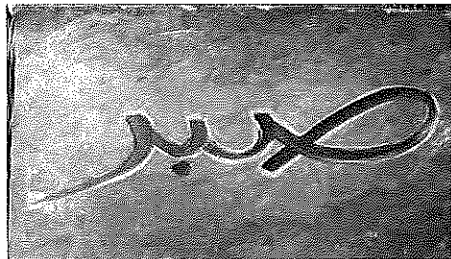
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## *Jamiat-ul-Ansar Newsletter*

### *Nasiha of the Month*

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

During the last few months our community have been very active in raising money for the Rohighna Muslims who are brutally being murdered and driven from their homeland. This is a very positive outpouring from our community. However, we should be very cautious of not losing the fact that a lot of other places have devastating events and problems occurring as well; such places include the horn of Africa, which has faced and



is still facing severe drought that has threatened the lives of millions of people, the majority of them being children. Our Muslims brothers and sisters of Uyghur descent in the North Western province of China, who are under very harsh and oppressive rule of the Chinese with severe crackdowns in Ramadans. We should not forget the many of have died and continue to die in Syria due to government oppression. There are many other places that need our attention, our du'as and our help. Please visit some of the Islamic organizations that work towards helping organize donations to some of these places facing crisis.

May Allah grant us the blessings of these days and grant the umma of the Prophet, safety and well-being during these days.

**Our Lord, the Blessed and Exalted, descends to the lowest heaven every night when a third of the night remains. He says, 'Who is calling on Me so that I can answer him? Who is asking Me for something so that I can give to him? "Who is asking Me for forgiveness so that I can forgive him?"**

-Bukhari

This hadith is a famous narration of the Prophet of Allah, may Allah bless him and grant him peace, in which he tells us about the benefit of waking up in the last third of the night to pray Salatul Tahajjud. Allah's forgiveness and His mercy is ready for the believers when they are up and praying to Him.

Our Prophet, may Allah bless him and grant him peace, prayed Tahajjud every night without missing. Some of the 'ulama say that this prayer separates those who are satisfied with performing the obligatory and those who want to have the love of Allah surround them.

## Mosque News

### Family Classes on Sundays

12:00 p.m. to 1:30 p.m

Third Floor of the Mosque

Taught by Shaykh Zahir Bacchus with special sessions given by other teachers

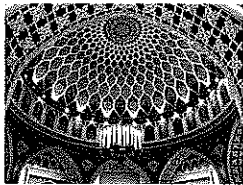
Topics include: meaning of everything one says in the salat; tafsir of surahs we read commonly; topics of interest such as riba, zakat, janaza

### Tahajjud Salat and Program

On the fourth Sunday of every month, we pray Tahajjud in Jama'ah one and a half hour before the entrance of Fajr. This Salat is followed by Fajr in congregation and a lesson. After the lesson we eat breakfast together, Insha Allah. Everyone is encouraged to attend and participate. The next program will be on Sunday, November 26<sup>th</sup>.

### Parking Lot Re-surfacing

This month the mosque parking lot will be completely re-surfaced and some of the concrete work will be redone, Insha Allah. We thank everyone for their generosity in donating towards this project.



### Sisters Quran Khatm Halaqa

Ustadha Saiema Syed Din, who studied Islam for 7 years in Damascus, Syria, conducts a monthly Khatm of Quran program and Class at the mosque. This program is held on the second Sunday of every month at 10:00 a.m.

The class is opened for all sisters of any age. For more information on these classes, please contact Ustadha Saiema at [info@lotetree.ca](mailto:info@lotetree.ca)

## Quotes of the Month

Al-Hasan said:

I used to go into the houses of the wives of the Prophet, may Allah bless him and grant him peace, during the khalifate of 'Uthman ibn 'Affan, and I could touch their ceilings with my own hand.

-Imam Bukhari, *al-Adab al-Mufrad*

Ibn 'Umar, may Allah be pleased with him, said:

If someone fears his Lord and maintains ties of kinship, his term of life will be prolonged, he will have abundant wealth and his people will love him.

-Imam Bukhari, *al-Adab al-Mufrad*

## Changes in Jumu'ah Times (Starting Friday, November 10<sup>th</sup>)

1<sup>st</sup> Jumu'ah: Khutba:12:30 pm Salat:1:05 pm

2<sup>nd</sup> Jumu'ah: Khutba: 1:45 pm Salat: 2:05pm

## KHATIBS FOR JUMU'AH

These are the khatibs for the Jumu'ah Salat for the month of NOVEMBER

Nov. 3: 1st: Ustadh Yusuf  
2<sup>nd</sup>: Ustadh Yusuf

Nov. 10: 1st: Shaykh Zahir  
2<sup>nd</sup>: Hafidh Mahmood

Nov. 17: 1st: Shaykh Abu Ridwan  
2<sup>nd</sup>: Hafidh Mahmood

Nov. 24: 1st: Ustadh Amjad Tarsin  
2<sup>nd</sup>: Shaykh Zahir