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The Holy Quran

[24:56] Allah has promised to those among you who believe and do good works that He will surely make them Successors in the earth, as He made Successors *from among* those who were before them; and that He will surely establish for them their religion which He has chosen for them; and that He will surely give them in exchange security *and peace* after their fear: They will worship Me, *and* they will not associate anything with Me. Then whoso is ungrateful after that, they will be the rebellious.

Prophecy of the Holy Prophet Muhammad (saw)

"Prophethood shall remain among you as long as Allah shall will. He will bring about its end and follow it with Khilafat on the precepts of prophethood for as long as He shall will and then bring about its end. A tyrannical monarchy will then follow and will remain as long as Allah shall will and then come to an end. There will follow thereafter monarchical despotism to last as long as Allah shall will and come to an end upon His decree. There will then emerge Khilafat on precept of Prophethood." The Holy Prophet said no more (Masnad Ahmad)

Hazrat Mirza Ghulam Ahmad the Promised Messiah and Imam Mahdi (as)

So dear friends! since it is the *Sunnatullah*, from time immemorial, that God Almighty shows two Manifestations so that the two false joys of the opponents be put to an end, it is not possible now that God should relinquish His *Sunnah* of old. So do not grieve over what I have said to you; nor should your hearts be distressed. For it is

essential for you to witness the second Manifestation also, and its Coming is better for you because it is everlasting the continuity of which will not end till the Day of Judgement. And that second Manifestation cannot come unless I depart. But when I depart, God will send that second Manifestation for you which shall always stay with you just as promised by God in *Brahin-e-Ahmadiyya*. And this promise is not for my person. Rather the promise is with reference to you, as God [addressing me] says: I shall make this *Jama'at* who are your followers, prevail over others till the Day of Judgment. Thus it is inevitable that you see the day of my departure, so that after that day the day comes which the day of ever-lasting promise is. Our God is He Who keeps His promise and is Faithful and is the Truthful God. He shall show you all that He has promised. Though these days are the last days of this world and there are many a disaster waiting to happen, yet it is necessary that this world continues to exist until all those things about which God has prophesied come to pass. I came from God as a Manifestation of Divine Providence and I am a personification of His Power. And after I am gone there will be some other persons who will be the manifestation of the second Power [of God]. So, while waiting for the second Manifestation of His Power, you all together keep yourselves busy praying. And let a *Jama'at* of righteous people, one and all, in every country keep themselves busy in prayers so that the second Manifestation may descend from the Heaven and show you that your God is such Mighty God. Consider your death to be close at hand for you never know when that hour will strike. [The Will]

Message from Hazrat Mirza Masroor Ahmad, Khalifatul Masih V



بِسْمِ اللّٰهِ الرَّحْمٰنِ الرَّحِیْمِ
تَعَمَّدُهُ وَتَصَلَّى عَلٰی رَسُوْلِهِ الْكَرِیْمِ
وَعَلَى عِبْدِهِ الْمَسِيْحِ الْمَوْعُوْدِ
خدا کے فضل اور رحم کے ساتھ
هو القاصر



12th January 2009

Message for Al Masroor newsletter of Majlis Khuddamul Ahmadiyya of Austarlia

O ye evergreen saplings of the Promised Messiah

السلام علیکم ورحمة الله وبركاته

We are very fortunate that we have believed in Hadhrat Mirza Ghulam Ahmad of Qadian, the Promised Messiah عليه السلام, who adored his holy master the Holy Prophet Muhammad صلى الله عليه وسلم. The Promised Messiah عليه السلام was given the glad tidings that after his demise, in accordance with Allah's promise "to those among you who believe and do good works that He shall surely make them Successors in the earth" (Ch.24:V.56) and in accord with the prophecy of the Holy Prophet Muhammad صلى الله عليه وسلم, such Khilafat would continue till the end of times. The institution of Khilafat is a great blessing bestowed upon our Jama'at. We must thank Allah for this bounty. Our success lies in holding fast to the rope of Allah and ensuring that we adhere to the institution of Khilafat with absolute obedience to Nizam Jama'at.

Time and again I have been reminding the Khuddam to be regular in observing the five daily prayers, as far as possible in congregation, and to engage in good works. I hope that this newsletter will encourage everyone to vie with each other in spreading the message of Islam throughout this country, in serving mankind in a variety of ways and thus earning the pleasure of Allah. Only then would this newsletter live up to its name.

May Allah make these relations with Khilafat stronger and may the relations between the members also grow stronger and the bond with Allah and the true knowledge about Allah increase. May Allah enable us all to maintain a high standard of discipline through absolute loyalty and obedience to this blessed institution of Khilafat. Amin.

MIRZA MASROOR AHMAD
Khalifatul Masih V

**Message from Sadr Majlis Khuddamul
Ahmadiyya Australia**

بِسْمِ اللّٰهِ الرَّحْمٰنِ الرَّحِیْمِ

My dear Atfal and Khuddams

Assalamu Alaikum wa Rahmatullah

By the grace of Almighty Allah I am getting the honor to serve Majlis Khuddam ul Ahmadiyya Australia as Sadr for 2008-2010. It is an enormous responsibility and I am only very weak. I humbly request you to pray for me and my Amla that Almighty Allah by His blessings make this task easier ; may He hides my weaknesses and guides me with His infinite wisdom, and may Majlis Khuddam ul Ahmadiyya Australia continues to achieve great success during this tenure and all the times to come. Amin

I also pass on good wishes to our dear Amjad Habib Khan for his great leadership and selfless service as Sadr Khuddam ul Ahmadiyya Australia from 2004-2008. Jazakallah Ahsanul Jaza.

I would also like to congratulate Majlis Khuddam ul Ahmadiyya Australia in general and Editor, Muhtamim Isha'at and Khuddam who help in publishing Al-Masroor on a monthly basis. Jazakomullah Ahsanul jaza.

I humbly request you to please establish the habit of five daily obligatory prayers. Our worldly lives keep us absorbed in matters relating to work, family, friends and so many other things, but I request you to create time to pray regularly as this is the key to gaining nearness to Allah. Remember that by accepting Hazrat promised

Messiah AS we have pledged to keep religion before the worldly matters; and also this is the first question that will be asked in the life hereafter.

Our beloved Hazoor advised us when he visited Australia to love each other, celebrate and promote the lovely gift of brotherhood that Islam Ahmadiyyat has given us, treat every individual with respect, be the first one to say *Assalamu Alaikum (peace be on you)*. When you meet, and be the first to forgive. Make a habit of being kind, polite and humble to everyone you interact with. Live the message of '**LOVE FOR ALL HATRED FOR NONE**' through every day life.

We have to work together no matter where we are from, what language we speak, we all are Khadim of Jamaat Ahmadiyya to achieve the enormous task that lies ahead of us. If you are asked to carry out a duty, consider it a great honor and do it with utmost responsibility. Obey and support all office holders in carrying out Khuddam work. If you have an idea that might be of value to local or national Majlis, please don't hesitate to share it with your Qaid Majlis or if you think necessary pass it on directly to the National Amla or me.

May Allah Almighty keep all of us on the path of taqwa and obedience to Khilafat. And may He always be our protector and guide. Amin

Wasslam

Humbly

Rana Ejaz Ahmad

Sadr Khuddam ul Ahmadiyya, Australia

Message from outgoing Sadr Khuddamul Ahmadiyya Australia

(part of speech during National Ijtema in Oct 08)

Since you all are aware this is my last National Ijtema as a Khadim, I would like to take this opportunity to thank a few people and also like to give a few advices on this occasion. Firstly Alhamdo Lillah Allah Taala has been extremely kind to me to give me an opportunity to serve as Sadr Khuddamul Ahmadiyya for four years. It has been a wonderful journey because of all your help.

[Amjad sahib then thanked as follows:]

- Ameer sahib has always been there for help and very valuable advice all the time.
- Mashood Bajwa sahib has been Naib Sadr from day one and has always done whatever was assigned to him. Some times he took his own initiative and had come up with better ideas than mine.
- Rana Ejaz sahib was Muhtamim Tarbiyyat and because of his dedication I appointed him Naib Sadr where his role was looking after all the interstate Majalis.
- Mu`tamad Usman sahib was appointed Mu`tamad from day one. To date he has not missed a single monthly report to Huzoor on time and he has also maintained the filing system of Khuddamul Ahmadiyya so well.
- All past and present Muhtamims.
- Qaids and their Amila
- Zaims and their Amila

- Khuddam who are regular in Waqa-re-Amal
- Khuddam Ziafat team
- All Khuddam & Aftal brothers

I would also like to say that I am sorry if I have said or done anything that I should not have done as Sadr Khuddamul Ahmadiyya. I ask forgiveness from Allah Taala and from you all if I did not perform my duties, as I should have. I also pray for the next Sadr Khuddamul Ahmadiyya that Allah Taala be his helping hand and may we witness more and more progress in Majlis Khuddamul Ahmadiyya and Majlis Atfalul Ahmadiyya in the coming years.

Now I would like to give a few humble advices. Majlis Khuddamul Ahmadiyya is the backbone of the Jammah. It becomes our duty to sacrifice time as we always promise Allah in our khuddam pledge. It is not possible to carry out our duties as a khadim without the sacrifice of time. What I have seen in the past is that some people are sacrificing a lot of time for the Jammah while there are other brothers who are doing very less.

Sometimes it puts a lot of burden on these people who are always sacrificing their time. Most people have families and are also working full time. It is not fair for these people while other members of the Jamaat are not sharing the responsibilities of a khadim.

If we follow the teachings of the Promised Messiah A.S and consider every Ahmadi as our brothers, we will try to make time and share the

workload of our brothers. After all it is every Khadims duty to sacrifice our time for the cause of the Jamaat. Sometimes just by sacrificing a couple of hours a week it makes life easier for everyone. Lets all try to work together as a team for the success of Majlis Khuddamul Ahmadiyya and the Jamaat.

It is Allah Taala's promise that he gives us much more than what we sacrifice for Allahs cause. I am personally a witness to this promise and there are many more who without a doubt will tell you that Allah Taala always gives more than we deserve, if we try with clean intentions to do Allah's work.

I humbly urge all Khuddam to sacrifice whatever time you can to gain Allah Taala's pleasure and be recipients of his countless bounties.

Finally once again I would like to say Jazak Allah wa ahsanul jaza to all of you for your support and help for me to carry out my duties and I pray that Allah Taala accept all your sacrifices and reward each and everyone of you.

Was Salaam
Amjad Habib Khan

Tahajjud prayers and Ameer Saheb's address on Saturday 01st November 08

Our new Sadr Majlis Khuddamul Ahmadiyya Australia, Rana Ejaz Saheb asked members to attend Tahajjud prayers on Saturday 01st November 2008 at Bait-ul-Huda mosque. Accordingly, the Tahajjud prayers were led by Br Sayed Tariq Ahmad and the Fajr prayer was led by Sadr Saheb.

After prayers, Ameer Saheb addressed the members citing that he was happy that our new Sadr decided to start his service to the office of Sadr Majlis Khuddamul Ahmadiyya with dua. He took the opportunity to address the members as follows:

Limits of Majlis Khuddamul Ahmadiyya (MKA):

MKA when sending messages to attend their events such as Tahajjud prayers this morning should restrict their instructions to their Majlis members only. MKA's limits are to its members only and we should not and cannot enforce other Majlis such as Majlis Ansarullah to attend our functions. Likewise Majlis Ansarullah cannot force anything on MKA. However, members of the other organizations may attend such functions if they so desire.

Dua after Azan:

Ameer Saheb advised that after completion of the Azan, listeners should recite the dua after Namaz which is as follows:

اللَّهُمَّ رَبِّ هَذِهِ الدُّعْوَةِ النَّامَةِ وَالصَّلَاةِ الْفَائِئِمَةِ. آتِ مُحَمَّدًا
إِلَى سِنَّةِ الْفَضِيلَةِ وَالذَّرَجَةِ الرَّفِيعَةِ وَابْعَثْهُ مَقَامًا مَحْمُودًا
بِالَّذِي وَعَدْتَهُ إِنَّكَ لَا تُخْلِفُ الْمِيعَادَ.

(*Allahumma Rabba hathihid-da watit tammati
wassalatil qa-imati, aati Muhammada-nil-
wasilata wal-fadhilata wad-darajatar-rafi 'ata,
wab'ath-hu maqamama-mahmuda-nil-lathi
wa'attahu. Innaka la tukhliful mi'aad.*)

Translation:

O Allah, Lord of this Perfect Call, and the
Congregational Prayer, make Muhammad a
means of our access to You, and bless him with
excellence and the lofty office, And grant him
the most exalted station Thou hast promised him.
Verily Thou goest not back on Thy promise.

Tahajjud Prayers:

On Tahajjud prayers, Ameer Saheb advised that
we should follow the examples of the Holy
Prophet Mohammad (saw). When we offer
congregational prayers, we should keep balance
in our prayers. We should also be mindful of the
sickly, and we should not recite very long Surahs
and Dua. Yet we should keep our Namaz long
enough that we can recite the compulsory dua
such as during Sajda and Ruku with ease and
understanding.

However, Ameer Saheb further advised that we
can lengthen our Namaz as much as we wish and
recite any part of Holy Quran when we are
performing our individual Tahajjud i.e. when not
in a congregation.

Focus on Dua:

Ameer Saheb appreciated the attendance and it
was good to see so many members attending
Tahajjud prayers. He stressed that our greatest
asset is dua. We should live a simple and
exemplified life. An expensive car or a big house
are not a differentiating factor – even Kafirs have
this. Our focus should be on leading a righteous
life with a lot of dua as has been the practice of
the Holy Prophet Mohd (sas) and the Promised
Messiah (as). Dua is available to every human
being but not all strive towards this. Our Jamaat
has been successful for this very reason and we
should continue to do more in this regard. He
also mentioned that in order to acquire the
victory of Islam it is essential to prove ourselves
best in all good aspects of society, particularly in
noble acts. This is the weapon that Hadhrat
Mohammad (saw) adopted and we should
follow. Because we are not a worldly Jamaat and
our focus should be to create order, peace and
harmony.

(Compiled by Sharfraz Ahmad Rahim)

National Amila member list

Sadr	Rana Ejaz Ahmad
Naib Sadr I	Mashood Bajwa
Naib Sadr II	Nasir Ali Yakub
Mauwin Sadr	Imran Chandio
Mu'tamad	Usman Mahmood
Muhtamim Mal	Sadaqat Mirza
Muhtamim Waqar-e-Amal	Nasir Ali Yakub
Muhtamim Tajnid	Muhammad Turab Khan
Muhtamim Tarbiyat	Aftab Ahmad Goraya
Muhtamim Tabligh	Mirza Imran Ahsan Karim
Muhtamim Nau Mubaeen	Mirza Imran Ahsan Karim
Muhtamim Ta'lim	Khaled Abdul Nasir
Muhtamim Omoor-e-Talaba	Khaled Abdul Nasir
Muhtamim Khidmat-e-Khalq	Ataul Awal Nasir Ahmad
Muhtamim Tahrik-e-Jadid	Iftikhar Ahmad
Muhtamim Sihhat-e-Jismani	Romeo Istafaq Hassan Khan
Muhtamim San'at o Tijarat	Mubarak Ahmad
Muhtamim Isha'at	Manzoor Ahmad Khan
Muhtamim Umumi	Mashood Bajwa
Muhasib	Aqeel Ibraheem
Muhtamim Atfal	Anwar ul haq Shahin
Murabi Atfal I	Munir Ahmad
Murabi Atfal II	Shadman Razi

Annual Calendar 2008-2009

Event	Date
Ta'lim, Tarbiyyat and Sports Day	18th January 2009
Camping in Mosque	14th February 2009 Night
Australia Clean up Day	1st March 2009
Red Cross Door Knock Appeal Day	8th March 2009
Jalsa Salana Australia	10th, 11th & 12th April 2009
Camping/Picnic	17th May 2009
Jalsa Seerat-UI-Nabi	31st May 2009
Parents Day	28th June 2009
Sydney Ijtema	10th – 12th July 2009
Ta'lim, Tarbiyyat and Sports Day	30th August 2009
National Ijtema	2nd, 3rd & 4th Oct. 2009

IQ Test - Questions with Answers

1. Some months have 30 days, some months have 31 days. How many months have 28 days?

2. If a doctor gives you 3 pills and tells you to take one pill every half hour, how long would it be before all the pills had been taken?

3. I went to bed at eight 8 'clock in the evening and wound up my clock and set the alarm to sound at nine

9 'clock in the morning. How many hours sleep would I get before being awoken by the alarm?

4. Divide 30 by half and add ten. What do you get?

5. A farmer had 17 sheep. All but 9 died. How many live sheep were left?

6. If you had only one match and entered a COLD and DARK room, where there was an oil heater, an oil lamp and a candle, which would you, light first?

7. A man builds a house with four sides of rectangular construction, each side having a southern exposure. A big bear comes along. What color is the bear?

8. Take 2 apples from 3 apples. What do you have?

9. How many animals of each species did Moses take with him in the Ark?

10. If you drove a bus with 43 people on board from Chicago and stopped at Pittsburgh to pick up 7 more people and drop off 5 passengers and at Cleveland to drop off 8 passengers and pick up 4 more and eventually arrive at Philadelphia 20 hours later, what's the name of the driver?

Answers

1. All of them. Every month has at least 28 days.

2. 1 hour. If you take a pill at 1 o'clock, then another at 1.30 and the last at 2'clock, they will be taken in 1 hour.

3. 1 hour. It is a wind up alarm clock which cannot discriminate between a.m. and p.m.

4. 70. Dividing by half is the same as multiplying by 2.

5. 9 live sheep

6. The match.

7. White.

8. 2 apples.

9. None. It was Noah, not Moses.

10. You are the driver.

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