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To serve humanity by imparting knowledge of Qur'an and Sunnah - the only way to attain peace in this world and the hereafter



Hayya 'Alal Falah

Salah is a Feast

It is from the Special Rahmah and Ihsan of Allah ﷻ that He has invited His servants to a feast through Salah comprising of various kinds of delicacies, nourishments, gifts and grants. He has honored and dignified His servants by inviting them five times a day.

- There are two benefits and blessings which the servant receives while performing Salah, which is not available through any other means of worship.
- Salah is not only a means of expiation from sins but also a means of light and spiritual nourishment that which gives strength through which leaving sins become easier.
- Salah prevents from immodesty and enhances personal growth, the person comes in the protection of Allah ﷻ Jundub bin Abdullah رضي الله عنه narrates, Prophet ﷺ said, "Whoever prays Fajr comes under the responsibility of Allah ﷻ". (Sahih Muslim: 1439)
- Salah increases the share of one's provision, gives relief from fear and sorrow, navigates in trials and gives cure from illness. Allama Ibn al Qayyim رحمته الله says, "Many a person has been cured from illnesses through Zikr of Allah ﷻ and leaping towards the Salah.
- Allah ﷻ honors the one who is present for Salah, gives rewards for each step and raises his rank.
- Preparations are made for him in Jannah, thus the person returns from Salah as if Allah ﷻ has quenched his thirst. Before his heart was deprived of rain and was experiencing drought, thirst, hunger and nakedness. After performing Salah Allah ﷻ returns him with riches through gifts which make the servant unconcerned of his needs being fulfilled through others, sins are forgiven, he becomes fresh and vigorous and returns with the duas of Angels.

(As Salah Min kalam Ibn al Qayyim)

Important News

• Progression of the AIS building

Alhamdulillah with your cooperation and prayers, the Building of Al-Huda International School H-11/4 Islamabad is in the last phase of construction. Your cooperation is further needed for its completion. From 13th August 2018 junior section classes have been started in one of its portions. May Allah ﷻ make this new building an excellent means of educating and character building for the new generations. Ameen.



• Eid Ul Adha and Sacrifice

At the occasion of Eid Ul Adha, Al-Huda was able to perform Sacrifices jointly with your cooperation. This year 150 cows, 132 sheep and 1 camel was slaughtered. Under Al-Huda branches meat was distributed to the needy to include them in the happiness of Eid in the remote areas of Punjab, Khayber Pakhtunakhwah, Kashmir, Sindh and Baluchistan.



Respected Readers, Assalam alaikum wa Rahmatullahi wa Barakatuhu

Alhamdulillah the last four months were an extremely busy period for the members, teachers and students of Al-Huda in accumulating the mercy and blessings of Allah ﷻ through various humanitarian causes in the form of distribution of Ramadan Ration, in conducting Eman boosting gatherings through Dawra e Qur'an, hajj seminars and workshops and in the arrangements of educational gatherings related to these topics. Practicing the Qur'an and Sunnah in order to gain success in this life and the hereafter and awareness to serve humanity was spread through these gatherings. According to the vision and mission of Al-Huda, not only staff but the attendees and the community enthusiastically took part for spreading the message of Qur'an and in the social and humanitarian causes. The IIm tour of Respected Ustaza Dr. Farhat Hashmi and Sir Idrees is as usual moving forward by spreading the pearls of knowledge. This time at different locations in Canada, they are successfully conducting lectures on important topics from June till date. May Allah ﷻ accept all their efforts which they are sending ahead and which they are leaving behind. Ameen. We will be waiting for your precious feedback. Tahira Khan

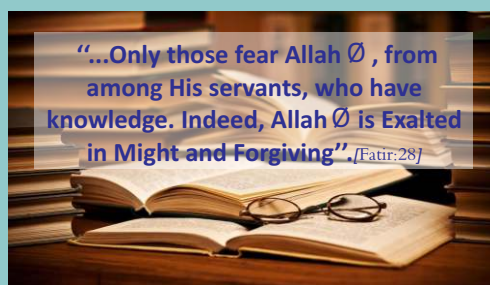


O my Rabb! Increase me in knowledge

The Caravan of Knowledge is Proceeding

Respected Dr. Farhat Hashmi toured different cities in various regions of Canada and delivered lectures on beneficial topics. Following are its details:

- Mississauga (Credit View Rd) June 22nd topic 'Marriage'.
- Burlington (Halton Masjid) July 15th 'Surah Al Haqqah'.
- Kitchener (Blair Creek Rd) July 22nd 'Surah Al Qalam'.
- Milton (Noor Academy) Aug. 11th 'Ashra Zil Hijjah'.
- Mississauga (Kennef Cres. Party) Aug 18th 'Marriage'.
- Halifax (Dart Mouth) Aug 23rd 'Shukarguzar kahan hain'.
- Halifax (Amatu Masjid) Aug. 24th 'Surah Al Kahaf'.
- Halifax (Corny Lake) Aug. 24th 'Narmi ki Ahmiyat'.
- Halifax Aug. 25th 'Sone Jagne ke Adab'.
- Ottawa (Abrar Masjid) Aug. 31st 'Jadu Haqeeqat aur Ilaj'.
- Cornwall (Jamia Tashreqia) Sep. 1st 'Taruf e Habib'.
- Montreal (Canadian De Jeunesse Centre) September 2nd 'Zaban ki Hifazat'.
- Montreal (Islamic Community Center) September 3rd 'Surah Al Mulk'.



Under the patronage of Al-Huda Canada

▪ Hayya 'Alal Falah Course

In Al-Huda Canada, Dr. Farhat Hashmi highlighted the spiritual side of Salah by conducting a course in Salah from the Book "As Salah min kalam Ibn al Qayyim" from 14th July to 19th August. Apart from Al-Huda Staff and Students, a large audience benefitted from this course via online facility.

My journey through Hayya 'Alal Falah Course

This course ended in the blessed ten days of Zhul Hijjah and I renewed my intention that the Salah become coolness of my eyes like it was for my Prophet ﷺ. Allama Ibn al Qayyim رحمه الله has highlighted in detail the spiritual side of Salah by the parable of feast, fertile land, quenching of thirst, which gave a new dimension to my thoughts. Now I consider Salah as a means of conversing with my Rabb and try my best to pray at its earliest time. Each and every act of Salah has become a means of my spiritual growth. Now I am convinced that Salah is the means of achieving ultimate success. I am teaching this book to my Husband and my mother. I now really value and appreciate it in real sense, this unique gift given in Mai'raj.



Al-Huda Online Short Courses

In order to spread the message of Qur'an and Sunnah, Al-Huda is conducting Online Weekend Courses.

English Courses

- 📖 Saheeh Al-Bukhari, Weekly course comprising of varied Ahadith from selected chapters.

Started: Every Friday from 14th September

- 📖 Qur'an, understanding and word to word translation (Juz 11-20) with chapters from Husn e Akhlaq.

Started: Every Saturday from 15th September

- 📖 Quran, Juz 29th Translation and Tafsir

Started: Every Saturday from 16th September

- 📖 Surah An Nisah, Started: Every Saturday from 15th September.

- 📖 Surah Ar Rahman, Started: Every Saturday from 30th September.

Urdu Courses

- 📖 Jadu, Haqeeqat aur Ilaj in the light of Qur'an and Sunnah.

- 📖 Two days course, September 15th and 16th

- 📖 Qur'anic Arabic grammar, Started: Every Sunday, February 2019.

For details, contact <http://www.ahudaonline.com>

Hajj Training via Workshops

Alhamdulillah this year also Hajj trainings were conducted via workshops. Through these workshops participants were taught how to perform hajj in accordance with Sunnah. Hajj literature of Al-Huda Publication was also distributed.

Multan: Workshops conducted under the Regional Office were attended by 45 women and 35 men. Apart from this, a camp was set in Qila Qasim Bagh, in which Hajj issues related to women were discussed. Food arrangements were done for hajj's coming from other cities and literature and cards helpful in facilitating the hajj were also distributed.

Islamabad: In Al-Huda Islamabad 70 staff members from Rawalpindi, Jehlum, Abbotabad, Sargodha, Faisalabad, Gojarkhan, Chakwal, Juwailian, Bahawalpur, Gujrat and Haripur were given training to spread awareness among people in their areas. Apart from this, weekly workshops were also conducted.

Peshawar: Under the regional office, 2,000 'Hajj e Baitullah' booklet and 1,000 'Hajj guide' cards were distributed at the airport.

Sindh: Under Karachi Regional Office, like the previous year's hajj workshops and hajj camps were conducted in various branches. This year workshops were conducted in Shikarpur, Ladkana, Meerpurkhas, Sukhar and Madiji for the first time, which were attended by around 350 people. People of these regions appreciated these workshops and expressed their enthusiasm for more such workshops.

Completion of Miftah ul Qur'an Course

Al-Huda Karachi DHA camp completed its 10th Batch of Miftah al Qur'an course. 150 students completed this course. In this course they were taught basic Qaida, Juz 30th, Masnun Duas, Azkar and how to pray. Certificates were also distributed to the students.

Effectual workshops under ATEC

In order to enhance educational skills for the teachers and other members of AIS, 14 workshops on varied topics were conducted by Training and Education Centre Islamabad. Staff and members from Islamabad, Karachi, Peshawar and Faisalabad participated in these workshops. Certificates were distributed to the participants.

Food Stall

In Al-Huda Islamabad, students of weekly Taleem ul Qur'an course made arrangements for food stall. Staff and students prepared home cooked delicacies and drinks. The main purpose of this campaign apart from highlighting the importance of spending in the cause of Allah Ø was also to show how charity can be given even with meager means through intelligent planning. Funds which were accumulated through food stall were donated for Al-Huda building.



Services to Humanity

Supply of water

Under the supervision of Al-Huda, it's Social Welfare Division dug wells in remote areas for the under privileged communities. Apart from wells, hand pumps and filtration plants were also installed. In the last four months Hand Pumps were installed in the areas of Rawalpindi and Multan.

Construction of Masjid in Tharparkar (Badin)

Alhamdulillah Masjid construction in Tharpakar has been completed. Under the supervision of Al-Huda Karachi Branch arrangements were made for Taraweeh and Iftari in this Masjid. People enthusiastically came to attend. More such efforts are needed in the remote areas of Sindh.



Uthman bin Affan رضي الله عنه narrated that : He heard Allah's Messenger ﷺ say: "Whoever builds a Masjid for (the sake of) Allah ﷻ, then Allah ﷻ will build a similar house for him in Paradise." [Sunan Tirmidhi:318]



Ramadan TV programs

During the holy month of Ramadan GEO TV broadcasted religious programs through its channels "GEO Tez", "GEO Aag", "GEO entertainment" and GEO Kahani". In these channels along with renowned religious scholars Al-Huda presented various programs based on Qur'an and Sunnah under its Iblagh division. Among the orators Respected Dr. Farhat Hashmi, Dr. Idrees Zubair, Qari Salman, Maulana Abu Bakr Siddique, Dr. Samee ullah Zubairi, Ruby Tariq, Afsha Khalid, Kanwal Sikandar, Dua Farooq and Dr.Kanwal Kaiser participated.

Ramadan ration and Iftar programs

Like previous years, this year also prior to Ramadan Al-Huda made arrangements to provide ration for the needy far and wide across the country. About 9,198 packages comprising of basic commodities were distributed in Punjab, Kashmir, Sindh, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa and Baluchistan. Apart from distributing ration, Iftar arrangements were made for areas in Karachi, Lahore, Multan, Raheem Yar Khan, Gojar Nawala, Wah Cantt, Meerpur and other regions. Large number of people benefitted from these campaigns.



New Reverts at Aftari in Sindh

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Religious and Social Guidance

Under Al-Huda Guidance Zone "Ap ne pocha" department provides guidance to Jurisprudence questions, Psychological issues and Personal problems through emails, phones and SMS. In the last four months mails received from around the globe were about 1,000. Emails which were received on queries related to worship, personal issues, weddings, divorce, upbringing children, interest and various other topics were given satisfactory answers and people were also guided towards seeking more in depth knowledge.



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(Monday – Saturday)

Envy...a Bad Moral Quality

Allah ﷻ has said, "Or do they envy people for what Allah ﷻ has given them of His bounty? But We had already given the family of Abraham the Scripture and Wisdom and conferred upon them a great Kingdom".

(An Nisa': 54)

In the Qur'an, a dua has been taught for the protection from the evil of the envier. Allah ﷻ has said, "And from the evil of an envier when he envies".

(Al Falaq: 5)

In the Ahadeeth this evil act has been condemned, Abu Huraira رضي الله عنه narrates, Prophet ﷺ said, "...Iman and envy cannot be combined in a person's heart".

(Sunan An Nasai: 3111)

Abdullah Bin Umar رضي الله عنه narrates, Prophet ﷺ was asked, who is the most excellent among the people? He replied, "Every pure hearted, truthful one". People said we can recognize the truthful one but who is the one with pure heart? He ﷺ said, "The one who is Allah ﷻ conscious, who is pure, whose heart neither has sins nor rebelliousness, nor animosity or envy."

(Ibn Majah: 4216)

Abu Hurairah رضي الله عنه narrates, Prophet ﷺ said, "Safeguard yourself from envy because envy consumes good deeds as fire consumes wood".

(Sunan Abi Dawud: 4903)

Thus, it is important for us to safeguard our good deeds, instead of whining about the blessings of others. We should recognize the blessings which we are availing and be grateful to Allah ﷻ and use the blessings in the best possible way. We should protect the heart from the impurity of this sin and direct all the energy in positive and constructive tasks to earn success in this world and the Hereafter. May Allah ﷻ protect us from this disgraceful moral character and make us among His grateful servants. Ameen.

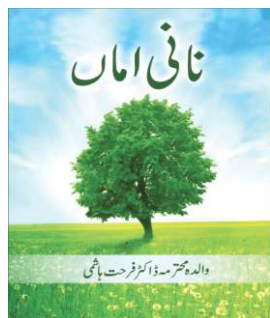
(Saima Snober)



Student Corner

Book Review

I went to the bookstore in Canada and a small book with an unusual title caught my eye. The name of the book was 'Nani Amma' and there was a picture of lush green tree with sky blue background. I picked up the book and started reading it, I totally forgot that what I had come to pick from the



book store. This book is based on the life of Razia Begam, the mother of Dr. Farhat Hashmi. She was an impressive person, who would organize her daily routine and she did this remarkably well from a very young age. We cannot find such examples easily now. Patience, persistence, hard work, empathy, gratitude, helping people, sacrifice, and other qualities which we would like to see in our self were a part of her personality. She is an excellent role model to learn good character building or to acquire the stature of wisdom. As a woman in any role or relation you should surely read this book. You can see yourself in that perspective and differentiate between your dealings and hers and come up with excellent life lessons. Read this book yourself and share with those who cannot read urdu. It has ideal lesson even for young girls.

Book Reading Habit

In order to inculcate book reading habit in the students of Al-Huda Islamabad and to avail from its benefits the students of Taleem ul Qur'an - 2 were asked to read their favorite book and narrate its extract in the class the next day. The students eagerly and enthusiastically took part in this activity. In this way in a short time staff members and students benefitted from a large number of books.

Tree Plantation Campaign

Al-Huda Islamabad, staff members and students of Taleem ul Qur'an 4 initiated a four days tree planting campaign. The purpose of this activity was to reflect over the creation of Allah ﷻ and to seek basic knowledge and firsthand experience of planting. For this campaign apart from evergreen plants, fruit plants were also selected. They were then planted beautifully in the compound of Islamabad Institute. Senior staff members and students of other courses greatly appreciated and showed interest in this activity.

In loving memory of Bilquis Begam...

Al-Huda Karachi Gulshan Branch first batch student Bilquis Begam passed away. 'To Allah we belong and to Him will be our return'. After listening to the tafseer of An Nisa by Respected Dr. Farhat Hashmi on FM radio she formally took admission in Al-Huda. The eye sight from one of her eyes was gone while she could barely see from her other eye, apart from her other illnesses. But in spite of all these issues she would attend the classes regularly and also give the Juz tests. She would take active part in all the activities done in the Branch. In order to help the Earth Quake victims in 2005 she herself stitched beddings for them. She would actively take part in various activities in the Branch, like taking care of water supply, phone installation, arrangement of making shade for the students in the compound. For the construction of Al-Huda Nazimabad Branch, she gifted her whole year's pension of about one lakh Rupees. She learned Al-Baqara by heart and would always be in the quest for more knowledge. She would initiate welfare work. Once travelers were facing difficulties due to floods, so she herself went to the station with crates of fruits and distributed them. Once she saw a homeless old woman crying in front of Edhi Center so she took her home and let her stay with her for some months. She would greatly respect her teachers and would attend the lectures of Respected Dr. Farhat Hashmi enthusiastically. In spite of her personal issues and deteriorating health, she had good assumption with Allah ﷻ and was very cheerful person who treated people with sincerity. Our dear sister's face was looking fresh and serene after she was given her final bath. May Allah ﷻ forgive her and make her abode in Jannatul Firdaus and make all her good deeds a means of continued charity for her. Ameen.

(Rubina Jabeen)

Abu Huraira رضي الله عنه reported Allah's Messenger ﷺ as saying: "He who called (people) to righteousness, there would be reward (assured) for him like the rewards of those who adhered to it, without their rewards being diminished in any respect..."

[Sahih Muslim:6804]

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With the Bounty of Allah ﷻ and from the cooperation from well wishers, about 80% construction of the school building has been completed. More funds are needed to complete the construction. We request you to generously participate in this good cause.



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