

THE HOLY MONTH OF

Ramadhan 1439

17TH May - 15TH June 2018

| Ramadhan | Date | Fajr Prayer (Fasting Begins) | Sunrise | Thuhr (Noon Prayers) | Sunset | Maghreb (Fasting ends) |
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| 1 | Thu 17 May | 5:15 | 6:42 | 11:52 | 17:01 | 17:23 |
| 2 | Fri 18 May | 5:16 | 6:43 | 11:52 | 17:00 | 17:22 |
| 3 | Sat 19 May | 5:17 | 6:44 | 11:52 | 17:00 | 17:21 |
| 4 | Sun 20 May | 5:17 | 6:44 | 11:52 | 16:59 | 17:21 |
| 5 | Mon 21 May | 5:18 | 6:45 | 11:52 | 16:59 | 17:20 |
| 6 | Tue 22 May | 5:18 | 6:46 | 11:52 | 16:58 | 17:20 |
| 7 | Wed 23 May | 5:19 | 6:46 | 11:52 | 16:58 | 17:19 |
| 8 | Thu 24 May | 5:19 | 6:47 | 11:52 | 16:57 | 17:19 |
| 9 | Fri 25 May | 5:20 | 6:48 | 11:52 | 16:57 | 17:18 |
| 10 | Sat 26 May | 5:20 | 6:48 | 11:52 | 16:56 | 17:18 |
| 11 | Sun 27 May | 5:21 | 6:49 | 11:52 | 16:56 | 17:18 |
| 12 | Mon 28 May | 5:22 | 6:50 | 11:53 | 16:55 | 17:17 |
| 13 | Tue 29 May | 5:22 | 6:50 | 11:53 | 16:55 | 17:17 |
| 14 | Wed 30 May | 5:23 | 6:51 | 11:53 | 16:55 | 17:17 |
| 15 | Thu 31 May | 5:23 | 6:52 | 11:53 | 16:54 | 17:16 |
| 16 | Fri 1 June | 5:24 | 6:52 | 11:53 | 16:54 | 17:16 |
| 17 | Sat 2 June | 5:24 | 6:53 | 11:53 | 16:54 | 17:16 |
| 18 | Sun 3 June | 5:25 | 6:53 | 11:54 | 16:54 | 17:16 |
| 19 | Mon 4 June | 5:25 | 6:54 | 11:54 | 16:53 | 17:16 |
| 20 | Tue 5 June | 5:25 | 6:54 | 11:54 | 16:53 | 17:15 |
| 21 | Wed 6 June | 5:26 | 6:55 | 11:54 | 16:53 | 17:15 |
| 22 | Thu 7 June | 5:26 | 6:55 | 11:54 | 16:53 | 17:15 |
| 23 | Fri 8 June | 5:27 | 6:56 | 11:54 | 16:53 | 17:15 |
| 24 | Sat 9 June | 5:27 | 6:56 | 11:55 | 16:53 | 17:15 |
| 25 | Sun 10 June | 5:28 | 6:57 | 11:55 | 16:53 | 17:15 |
| 26 | Mon 11 June | 5:28 | 6:57 | 11:55 | 16:53 | 17:15 |
| 27 | Tue 12 June | 5:28 | 6:58 | 11:55 | 16:53 | 17:15 |
| 28 | Wed 13 June | 5:29 | 6:58 | 11:55 | 16:53 | 17:15 |
| 29 | Thu 14 June | 5:29 | 6:58 | 11:56 | 16:53 | 17:15 |
| 30 | Fri 15 June | 5:29 | 6:59 | 11:56 | 16:53 | 17:15 |

* Please add 10 mins onto Fajr time as precaution for prayers only

Eid al Fitr Saturday 16th June - (1st Shawwal)

(Subject to the sighting of the new moon)

Intention for fasting: You may intend for the whole month on the first day or each day separately (Intention is from the heart; utterance of words is not necessary)

Things which make a fast void:

1. Consuming any form of food or liquid
2. Sexual Intercourse or any such actions which may lead to discharge of semen
3. Speaking, writing etc. any falsehood about Allah (swt), Prophets & Ahlul Bayt
4. Submerging head in water (According to Ayatullah Sistani it is very Makrooh but does not void fasting)
5. Conveying thick dust, smoke or steam past the throat
6. Vomiting intentionally
7. Enema with liquid
8. Remaining in the state of janabat, haydh or nifas after the Fajr time

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*The Imam Husain Islamic Centre
wishes you a blessed Ramadhan
full of spiritual fulfilment*

"O you who believe! Fasting is prescribed for you as it was prescribed for those before you, that you may observe self-restraint (al-Taqwa)"
Holy Qur'an 2:183

*Sermon of the Holy Prophet (sawa) on
the last friday before Ramadhan*

" O People !

Indeed ahead of you is the blessed month of Allah. A month of blessing, mercy and forgiveness. A month which with Allah is the best of months. It's days, the best of days, it's nights, the best of nights, and it's hours, the best of hours. It is the month which invites you to be the guests of Allah and invites you to be one of those near to Him. Each breath you take glorifies Him; your sleep is worship, your deeds are accepted and your supplications are answered. So, ask Allah, your Lord; to give you a sound body and an enlightened heart so you may be able to fast and recite His Book, for only he is unhappy who is devoid of Allah's forgiveness during this great month. Remember the hunger and thirst of the day of Qiyamah (Judgement) with your hunger and thirst; give alms to the needy and poor, honor your old, show kindness to the young ones, maintain relations with your blood relations; guard your tongues, close your eyes to that which is not permissible for your sight, close your ears to that which is forbidden to hear, show compassion to the orphans of people so compassion may be shown to your orphans. Repent to Allah for your sins and raise your hands in dua during these times, for they are the best of times and Allah looks towards his creatures with kindness, replying to them during the hours and granting their needs if he is asked.. "

The Holy Prophet Muhammad
(peace be upon him and his progeny)

Important Dates During the Holy Month:

- 3 Ramadan - Revelation of the Scriptures to Prophet Ibrahim
- 5 Ramadan - Revelation of Torah to Prophet Moses
- 7 Ramadan - Death of Hazrat Abu-talib
- 10 Ramadan - Death of Hazrat Khadijeh
- 11 Ramadan - Revelation of Psalms to Prophet David
- 15 Ramadan - Auspicious birthday of Imam Hasan (a.s)
 - Birth of Imam Muhammad Al Taqi (a.s) according to one narration
- 16 Ramadan - Ascension of the Prophet of Islam (saww)
- 17 Ramadan - The Battle of al-Badr
- 19 Ramadan - Assassination of Imam Ali (a.s)
 - Revelation of Gospel to Prophet Jesus
 - The Night of al-Qadr
- 20 Ramadan - The Conquering of Makkah
- 21 Ramadan - Martyrdom of Imam Ali (a.s)
 - The Night of al-Qadr
- 23 Ramadan - The Night of al-Qadr
 - (Revelation of the entire Quran to the Prophet of Islam)
- Last Friday of Ramadan - International Day of al-Quds