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Western New York Muslims





## Know Thy Neighbors

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### Know Thy Neighbors – Traditions/Worships/Prayers



On Wednesday, November 20, Know Thy Neighbors', a Muslim-Christian interfaith collaboration between WNYMuslims and St. Joseph University Parish, second session, 'Traditions/Worship/Prayers' was held at Hyatt Place, Buffalo. Like the previous session, it was another successful event.

Ms. Sana Iqbal started the program with a welcome speech and introduced Ms. Farina Mirza, Community Outreach Coordinator, WNYMuslims, who gave a brief introduction of the organization through a small presentation. Later Prof. Faizan Haq, President & Founder, WNYMuslims was invited to the podium to proceed further with the program by introducing the following panelists:



1. Deacon Ted Pijacki, Deacon Emeritus at St. Joseph University Parish

#### 4. Ms. Syeda Ume-Aiman, Student of Western Philosophy and Islamic Theology.

Prof. Faizan, handed over the microphone to Deacon Ted Pijacki to formally start the program. He started with an explanation about the evolution of Traditions/Worship/Prayers in Christianity, with time. He also discussed the importance of Mother Mary in both Islam and Christianity. He further on elaborated the importance of 'Traditions' with the capital and small "T", which may vary by geographical locations. Later on, Sister Jeremy took over and explained the types of worship in Christianity and the reasons behind them based on traditions. She further spoke about the sacrifices made by Jesus and said, "He took over everything on himself and died". Sister Jeremy also humbly asserted, 'We are living as a people of hope and resurrection'. While wrapping up the discussion from his side Deacon Pijacki added, "These sessions are being conducted to promote the commonality among all of us".



Later Imam Kahlilullah took the charge of the event as a representative of the Islamic faith. While defining the actual Islam, he said, "Islam is believing in it from the depth of your heart and verbalize it at the same time". Furthermore, he spoke about the importance of number "7" in both religions and elaborated the 7 articles of faith while discussing the pillars of Islam, he described Islam as a continuation of previous religions. He also pondered upon the attributes of God in Islam and emphasized on the role of destiny in the life of a Muslim. Moreover, Ms. Ume- Aiman joined the conversation and continued the discussion on the pillars of Islam and further explained that for every type of worship there's a corresponding thought. She also mentioned the 5 mandatory worships called 'Salah' and their role in the personal development of a Muslim. She said, 'Salah is a connection to God, the more devoted we are, the more connected are we and as a result, it affects our steadfastness, sincerity, and punctuality, it gives us a sense of direction". She further pondered upon the fact that physical abstinence from food while fasting builds piety among Muslims and improves self-control. In the end, she briefly emphasized on the importance of Zakat, mandatory charity, and termed it as a right of the poor rather than a gift.

Followed by the Panelists' presentations the floor was opened for the question-answer session, in which the audience participated, quite enthusiastically. Upon the request of the audience, Imam Khalilullah recited a few verses of the Quran along with its translation and so did Deacon Pijacki recited a prayer. Afterward, Prof. Faizan thanked the panelists and audience for another successful event and invited everyone for the refreshments.



Once again, we would like to thank our community for such an overwhelming response, we hope that we will get the same response in our remaining 2 sessions of the 4-lecture series out of which our third session:

**Putting Religion into Daily Practice**

is being scheduled for:

**Wednesday, December 18**

at

**The Jaffarya Islamic Center**

[10300 Transit Rd.](#)

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The "Know Thy Neighbors" Conversation Series Topics:

1. *Concept of God*: Wed. Oct. 23, 2019
2. *Traditions/Worship/Prayers*: Wed. Nov. 20, 2019
3. *Putting Religion into Daily Practice*: Wed. Dec. 18, 2019
4. *Our Sacred Text*: Wed. Jan. 29, 2020





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After the success of our first two sessions of the four lecture series, its about time for the third session:

## [Know Thy Neighbor – Putting Religion into Daily Practice](#)

On

**Wednesday, December 18, 2019**

At

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**At 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM**

For the third time WNYMuslims and St. Joseph University Parish is getting together in their collaborative interfaith effort called “Know Thy Neighbor” ([knowthyneighbors.org](http://knowthyneighbors.org) [#get2KTN](#)), which was created from the perspective of conversing about religious articles of faith, worship, traditions, intentions and sacred texts of both faiths.

On **December 18, 2019 from 7 PM-8:30 PM** the public is invited for “Know Thy Neighbor’s” third conversation, ***Traditions/Worship/Prayers***. Panelists, and guests will share their knowledge of Christian and Muslim faiths for the purpose of educating, finding commonality and joining in shared projects of good works and charity that benefit our community. This is a free event. (Refreshments will follow).

We hope that the individuals, communities, and organizations, who want to foster peace and understanding between our communities will join our caravan. We are Looking for partners to help create opportunities for friendship. Women and men are invited to assist and participate. For donations, please click [here](#)

*“These sessions provide a bridge between the two religious traditions in which each can learn about the other’s basic religious ideas and practices. Our vision involves starting a dialogue between the two religions, that moves into the future where we both grow in respect and knowledge of each other, so that both communities can engage with each other effectively in ways that promote peace and relationship in the City of Good Neighbors.” -*

Deacon Ted Pijacki, Permanent Deacon of the Roman Catholic Church.

*“We believe in developing new bonds, strengthening interfaith relationship and spread the awareness about religious and cultural values through social exchange and Know Thy Neighbor will serve as a an interfaith networking channel to promote understanding and exploration of different religious traditions, which will further fortify the bond between the two faith communities and strengthen the diverse neighborhood of WNY.” Prof.*

Faizan Haq, Founding President, WNYMuslims.

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**Community  
Hours**



**VOLUNTEER  
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opportunities**  
**THE COLLECTIVE**



**Internship  
Programs**

Being one of the most active, dedicated and devoted community organizations of WNY based upon the doctrine of serving the community by creating awareness, encouraging diversity and providing service.

In pursuance of our goals we would request our ever-supportive community members and the students to join us and help WNYMuslims and its' following collaborations:

\* Desi Varsa \*United Business Network \* The Collective News/Junior  
in emerging as one unified community group of WNY.

We would also appreciate if our subscribers can participate and can motivate and mobilize other fellow community members to join our caravan.

Our Volunteer jobs & internships are not only associated with community work but also its a great opportunity to polish marketing skills, build experience, and fulfill academic credit and service-learning requirements. We specialize in a variety of fields, including public relations, marketing, graphic design, media production, and journalism.

Interested candidates please:

[email](#) us, call (716) 923-4386 or click [here](#) for more details.

We highly appreciate the tremendous support of the community of WNY in the past and we hope we'll get the same response to our above mentioned request as well. Thanks.



**Islamic Society of Niagara Frontier**

(716) 568-1013



## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### **RAHAMA Donation Drive 2019**

Help support survivors of Domestic Violence by donating home goods on:

**November 22 - 29, 2019**

Drop Off Location:

**Masjid An-Noor, Jami Masjid & Universal School**

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### **ISNF Annual General Body Meeting has been postponed**

On

**Saturday - November 23rd, 2019**

**@ 5 PM**

At

**Masjid An-Noor, 745 Heim Road, Getzville, NY 14068**

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### **Two Jumma Prayers**

During construction, there will be two *Jumaa* prayers.

Day Light Saving Time Ends on Sunday, November 3rd, 2019:

Juma' prayers times from November 8th 2019 to March 6th, 2020 (Friday):

**Khutbah @ 12:35 PM and Salat @ 1:05 PM**

**Khutbah @ 1:35 PM and Salat @ 2:05 PM**

Please be patient during the time of construction & pray for the timely completion of this project.

**\* Please scroll down for more details and Iqamah for Daily Salah Schedule. Thanks**

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### **Sunday Dhuhur Iqama**

On Sundays,

**Dhuhur Iqama @ 1:55 PM**

(During Sunday School).

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### **Town of Amherst Notice regarding Heim Road & Montbleu Drive - Periodic Overflow Parking**

We received a notice from the **Town of Amherst Traffic Safety Board** due to complaints from the neighbors about:

- Blocking their driveway, mailboxes & the intersection of Heim Road/Montbleu drive.
- Inability of school bus to drive through the Montbleu drive when cars are parked on both sides of the road on Friday.

The Town of Amherst Traffic Safety Board proposed the following changes;

- No parking on Montbleu Drive on Fridays between 11 AM - 4 PM
- No parking on the North side of Heim Road (the side opposite to the masjid) from the intersection of Montbleu drive to South Wedge Drive on Fridays between 11 AM - 4 PM.

Please follow these rules & regulations, otherwise you may receive a parking ticket.

## PROGRAMS

### STUDY SURAH AL BAQARAH

#### The Pinnacle of the Qur'an

Short course: Learn selected Dua's & brief *Tafsir*

(For young girls & ladies)

Starting **Saturday, September 21st, 2019**

(Every Saturday till December 2019)

At **11 AM - 1 PM**

Course Materials: \$20

At **Masjid An-Noor, 745 Heim Road, Getzville, NY 14068**

Please register [here](#)

&

for more details please [email](#)

#### Quran Classes At Masjid An-Noor

Register your child for an after school Quran reading program (for age 5 +)

Classes are held on **Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday.**

#### Sunday School 2019 - 2020

Start date: **September 22nd 2019.**

For more details please click [here](#)

For registration please click [here](#)

## PROJECTS

### Expansion Project

*Alhumdulillah*, we have embarked on a *Masjid* expansion project consist of the following:

Prayer Area For Sisters	Parking Spaces	Expansion of the Main Prayer Area
Proper second-floor prayer area for Sisters (2100 sq. ft., about 2/3 <sup>rd</sup> area of the current masjid).	Fifty-eight parking spaces are being added.	The main prayer-area is being increased from current 3000 sq. ft. (12 rows) to 5028 sq. ft (20 rows).



lowest bid we have is **\$1.2 million** for the building and **\$305,000** for the site work.

**Insha Allah, we will start the construction after Ramadan 2019.**

So far we have collected **\$847,000**. Please contribute generously to complete this project by mailing your donation checks payable to 'Islamic Society of Niagara Frontier' at the above mentioned masjid's address either monthly, quarterly or annually, please make sure to write "**For Masjid Expansion**" on the left bottom corner of your checks. **OR** you can setup an automatic payment plan from your checking account.

We request you to contribute generously in order to complete this expansion project for our sisters, brothers, and future generations.

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### **Support ISNF at No Extra Cost**

Please click [here](#) and pick Islamic Society of Niagara Frontier as your charity organization.

The AmazonSmile Foundation will donate 0.5% of the purchase price from your eligible AmazonSmile purchases.

For more details please click [here](#)

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### **ISNF Operation Fund**


The Islamic Society needs **\$750 daily** to operate **Masjid An-Noor & Masjid At-Taqwa**. This goal can be achieved easily, if each member donates a minimum of \$2/day towards operation fund. We encourage the members to sign up for **automatic deduction (ACH)** in order to run the operation of the Islamic Society efficiently. At present we have 83 members who have signed up for ACH. Our goal is to increase the number of ACH-donors to at least 100 by the Ramadan of 2019.


Please download the automatic deduction form by clicking [here](#) and mail to ISNF.

You can also donate online by clicking [here](#)

or use **MOHID Kiosk** in the masjid (outside the library)

## **Masjid Taqwa**

 [40 Parker Avenue, Buffalo NY 14214](#)

 (716) 568-1013



## **PROGRAM**

**Quran&IslamicStudies**

Saturdays from 5 PM - 6 PM

&

Sundays from 12 PM - 1 PM



## Muslim Society of Buffalo

### Jami Masjid

[1955 Genesee Street Buffalo, NY 14211](#)

☎716-300-5040



### ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### Donation Drive for RAHAMA

Starting this Jummah, Jami Masjid will be hosting a donation drive for RAHAMA (Resources and Help Against Marital Abuse). We will be collecting toiletries and other personal care items for women and children who are survivors of domestic violence. There will be drop off boxes at both the sisters and brothers entrance. Please help support this campaign.

**The deadline to donate is Friday 11/29.**

Please do not drop off clothes or other items that are not listed on the flyer.

See attached flyer for more details.

#### Bab Ali's Reading Center - Update

Alhamdulillah, our children's reading center is nearly complete. We thank everyone for their generous contributions! The prospective date for the grand opening will be

**Thursday, December 5th at 7pm.**

More details and info to come.

#### Rules of Bab Ali's Reading Center

The 3 main rules of Bab Ali's Reading Center we ask parents and children to be mindful of:

- 1) All books are for masjid use only and should be returned in their rightful spot after use. (Books are not to leave the premises as they are an amana for the masjid. Any lost or damaged books should be replaced).
- 2) No food or drink is allowed in the center.
- 3) No horseplay - the purpose of the center is to create a calm and peaceful atmosphere for reading.

Children abusing the privileges or not following the center rules will be asked to leave the area.

InshaAllah more details will be discussed during the opening ceremony.

JazakAllahu Khairun

#### Micro Madrasa Classes

9/16 - 12/22

**All Micro Madrasa Classes will be off during the vacation weekend.**

Items on the calendar are subject to change, those registered in classes will receive the most current information. For any questions on programs, you may contact us at [jamiprograms@gmail.com](mailto:jamiprograms@gmail.com)

To view a clear PDF version of the calendar click [here](#)

### PROGRAMS

#### All New Ladies ESL Classes

Already started Saturday, November 02

2:00 - 3:00 PM

For more details please contact:

**(716) 533-2343**

This class is designed for our refugee mothers to aid their transition here, but any sister looking to further their English skills is welcome. This class will take place in the cafeteria and is running at the same time as the children's Quran class, so mothers and children can learn together. Please contact the number listed at the bottom of the flyer for any questions.

No pre-registration needed.

\$25 For 10 Classes

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### Qasida Burda Gathering and Remembrance

On

**Thursday, November 21**

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### Brothers' 99 names of Allah dinner

On

**Tuesday, November 15**

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### Tiger Tae Kwon Do Demonstration

On

**Friday, November 21**

From

**2:30 - 3:15 PM**

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[Please scroll down for the Micro Madrasa Schedule, class flyers and the updated October Calendar](#)

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## PROJECTS

### Children's Reading Corner Update

A brand new Reading Corner is in the works on the ladies side of the masjid! The reading corner will feature only good and beautiful books for our children, with positive morals and themes. We need your help to finish the project! Click [here](#) to be directed to our website where you can donate by PayPal. Please specify for reading corner. Every little bit counts!

### Jami Bounce House

This is a great opportunity to help make children's' time in the *masjid* enjoyable during various events/occasions.



**Buffalo Nomads**

With the grace and bounty of God, the Nomads have been serving youth of all backgrounds and faiths in the Western New York area for over a decade. Our main goal and intention is to connect youth to our Lord and Creator. For us to do this, we have tried to implement the true spirit of Islam. Teaching honest truthful prophetic character, empathy and compassion to those needing aid, and resilience coupled with determination to please our Lord.

### [What do the Nomads do exactly?](#)

We take yearly international trips to broaden the horizon and get our youth accustomed to different cultures and lifestyles. We offer weekly sporting events from football to wrestling, to even golf. We offer workshops that nurture the mind, soul, and body by holding Quran classes and Islamic sciences needed to acquire sacred knowledge. We also offer classes at universities and programs at the collegiate level. Yearly camping trips and spiritual retreats to tap into the full potential of the youth.

We would like to thank anyone who has supported our cause for the past decade. Truly these programs cannot function without your support. We pray for you and your loved ones that you have best of this world and the next. Amen.

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## [PROGRAMS](#)

### [New Years in Mecca: Dec 24 – Jan 03](#)

We intend on celebrating New Years in Mecca! We would like to thank everyone who helped us raise \$5k + for subsidizing Umrah for reverts, youth/first timers, and lovers of Allah ﷻ and His Prophet Muhammad ﷺ.

To donate please click [here](#)

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### [Nomads Nights](#)

With the *Tawfeeq* of Allah ﷻ we intend on starting up our weekend programs for the youth to connect them to the masjid and brotherhood. More details to come *In sha Allah*.

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### [Nomads Wrestling](#)

We have been working hard in the summer and fall to get our wrestling team in tip top shape for tournaments. See flyers for current hours of wrestling. We have wrestlers from Elementary School to College training with us.

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### [New Wrestling Mats](#)

Because our team is growing, we were in need of a larger area to wrestle. Alhamdulillah, we were able to raise over \$2k to buy practice mats. They came in this week! We now have wall to wall coverage for our growing team. Check out some of the pictures of our practices/mats.

Reminder: The Wrestling Mats are ONLY for the Wrestling Team. We want to make sure the team is able to use them for long time without any damage.



## Special High School Scholarship Opportunity.

### 40% Off Tuition

If students score 85% or above on the entrance exam.

9th Grade - 8 Spots

10th Grade - 6 Spots

For more details

pls scroll down for the flyer

or

visit [www.myuniversalschool.org](http://www.myuniversalschool.org)

or


call 716-597-0102



## Lackawanna Islamic Mosque

### Masjid Al-Huda

 [154 Wilkesbarre Ave Lackawanna NY 14218](http://www.alhudamasjid.org/)

 (716) 825-9490

 <http://www.alhudamasjid.org/>

### PROGRAMS

#### Daily Readings

From Riyad Alsalaheen or Short Talk After *Fajr*

#### SCHEDULE

##### Sunday:

*Tahfeez Quran* for Youth (Before *Dhuhr* Prayer)

Sisters Lesson (After *Asr* Prayer)

Tafseer Lesson (After *Maghrib*)

##### Monday:

Lesson on *Quran* Recitation & *Hifz* (After *Maghrib*)

##### Tuesday:

Seerah Lesson (After *Maghrib*)

##### Wednesday:

Lesson on *Quran* Recitation & Hifz (After Maghrib)

**Friday:**

General Lesson (After Maghrib)

**Saturday:**

*Fiqh* Lesson on Family and Manners (After Maghrib)

MASJID NU'MAN

Masjid Nu'man

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 <https://www.masjidnuman.org>

**PROGRAMS**

**Putting the Neighborhood Back In the Hood**

PTNBH started in 1996 as a community walk and has now expanded to a weekend of events geared towards celebrating the neighbors and community around Masjid Nu'Man. The concept was brought forth by W. Deen Mohammed after realizing many of our neighborhoods had lost the concept of a "good neighbor" and were now just known as the "hood".

Celebrating Muslims and non-Muslims alike, **PTNBH** has been recognized and awarded by the mayor and city of Buffalo for improving community relationships. Now over two decades strong, PTNBH has become a staple in the Fillmore district and continues to grow every year.



Jaffarya Islamic Center

**Jaffarya Islamic Center**

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 <https://www.jaffarya.org/>

**PROGRAMS**

**Eid Milad - Un - Nabi**

A "Ladies Only" program on

### **Jaffarya Center**

to celebrate the Birthday of Prophet Mohammad (pbuhf) starting at

**1:00 pm.**

All are welcome.

Please be on time so that we can finish on time.

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### **Sunday School**

On

**Every Sunday Morning**

at

**10:00 am sharp.**

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### **Salatul Jummah**

On

**Every Friday Afternoon**

at

**1:30 pm sharp**

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## COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS:



*Christians and Muslim communities of WNY to promote understanding and exploration of different religious traditions.*



Putting Religion into Daily Practice

**Wednesday, December 18, 2019**

**Jaffarya Islamic Center**

(Hosted by WNYMuslims)

**10300 Transit Road, East Amherst, NY 14051**

**7 PM - 8:30 PM**

For more information, please contact:

Farina at [farina@wnymuslims.org](mailto:farina@wnymuslims.org)  
or call her at (716) 923-4386

Claire at [parish@stjosephbuffalo.com](mailto:parish@stjosephbuffalo.com),  
or call her at (716) 833-0298 ext. 315

## All Are Welcome



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**Masjid An-Noor**





Schedule of Iqamah for daily Salah at Masjid An-Nur					
DATE	FAJR	ZUHR	ASR	MAGHRIB	ISHAA
<b>JANUARY</b>					
January 1-15	6:30 AM	1:35 PM**	3:30 PM	Sunset	8:00 PM
January 16-31	6:30 AM	1:35 PM**	3:45 PM	Sunset	8:00 PM
<b>FEBRUARY</b>					
February 1-15	6:30 AM	1:35 PM**	4:00 PM	Sunset	8:00 PM
February 16-29	6:15 AM	1:35 PM**	4:30 PM	Sunset	8:00 PM
<b>MARCH</b>					
March 1st - 2nd Saturday*	6:00 AM	1:35 PM**	5:00 PM	Sunset	8:00 PM
2nd Sunday - 31st March	6:30 AM	1:35 PM**	6:00 PM	Sunset	9:00 PM
<b>APRIL</b>					
April 1 - 15	6:00 AM	1:35 PM**	6:15 PM	Sunset	9:15 PM
April 16 - 30	5:30 AM	1:35 PM**	6:30 PM	Sunset	9:30 PM
<b>MAY</b>					
May 1 - 15	5:15 AM	1:35 PM**	6:30 PM	Sunset	9:45 PM
May 16 - 31	5:00 AM	1:35 PM**	6:30 PM	Sunset	10:15 PM
<b>JUNE</b>					
June 1 - 15	5:00 AM	1:35 PM**	6:30 PM	Sunset	10:15 PM
June 16 - 30	5:00 AM	1:35 PM**	6:30 PM	Sunset	10:30 PM
<b>JULY</b>					
July 1 - 15	5:00 AM	1:35 PM	6:30 PM	Sunset	10:30 PM
July 16 - 31	5:15 AM	1:35 PM	6:30 PM	Sunset	10:15 PM
<b>AUGUST</b>					
August 1 - 15	5:30 AM	1:35 PM	6:30 PM	Sunset	10:00 PM
August 16 - 31	5:45 AM	1:35 PM	6:30 PM	Sunset	9:30 PM
<b>SEPTEMBER</b>					
September 1 - 15	6:00 AM	1:35 PM**	6:00 PM	Sunset	9:15 PM
September 16 - 30	6:15 AM	1:35 PM**	5:30 PM	Sunset	8:45 PM
<b>OCTOBER</b>					
October 1 - 15	6:30 AM	1:35 PM**	5:30 PM	Sunset	8:30 PM
October 16 - 31	6:30 AM	1:35 PM**	5:00 PM	Sunset	8:00 PM
<b>NOVEMBER</b>					
Nov. 1st - 1st Saturday*	6:30 AM	1:35 PM**	4:30 PM	Sunset	8:00 PM
1st Sunday - Nov. 15	6:15 AM	1:35 PM**	3:30 PM	Sunset	8:00 PM
Nov. 16 - 30	6:30 AM	1:35 PM**	3:15 PM	Sunset	8:00 PM
<b>DECEMBER</b>					
December 1 - 15	6:30 AM	1:35 PM**	3:15 PM	Sunset	8:00 PM
December 16 - 31	6:30 AM	1:35 PM**	3:15 PM	Sunset	8:00 PM

**NOTES:**

\*\* Zuhr prayer on Sundays when the Sunday School is open will be at 1:55 pm

Jumma Khutbah starts at 1:35 pm through out the year.

\*Daylight Saving Time Starts on 2nd Sunday of March and ends on 1st Saturday of November.

The month of Ramadhan will have its own timetable.

Schedule prepared by Shahid Ahmad, Shaykh Nazim Mangera and Imam Khalilullah based on data provided by Dr. Khalid Shaikat (moonsighting.com).

Revised on March 14, 2019

# RAHAMA'S DONATION DRIVE 2019

HELP SUPPORT SURVIVORS OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE BY DONATING  
TOILETRIES AND OTHER HOME GOODS

**November 22 - November 29**



SHAMPOO, CONDITIONER, BODY WASH, SOAP,  
TOOTHBRUSHES, TOOTHPASTE, DEODORANT,  
FEMININE HYGIENE PRODUCTS, PAPER  
TOWELS, ETC.

NO TRAVEL SIZE PRODUCTS PLEASE!

## Drop Off Locations

**ISNF Masjid An-Noor**  
745 Heim Road

**Jami Masjid**  
1955 Genesee St

**Universal School**



For more information contact: [info@rahama.org](mailto:info@rahama.org)



# STUDY SURAH AL BAQARAH

THE PINNACLE OF THE QUR'AN

SHORT COURSE - LEARN SELECTED  
DU'AS & BRIEF TAFSIR

STARTING SATURDAY SEPT 21 '19  
FROM 11AM -1PM  
COURSE MATERIALS - \$20  
EVERY SATURDAY  
DURATION - SEPT - DEC '19

FOR YOUNG GIRLS & LADIES

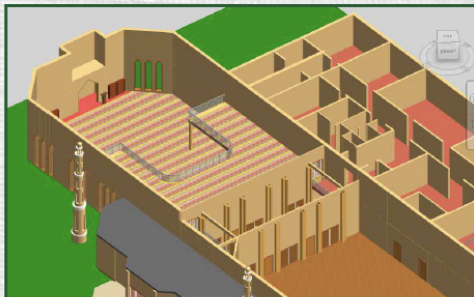
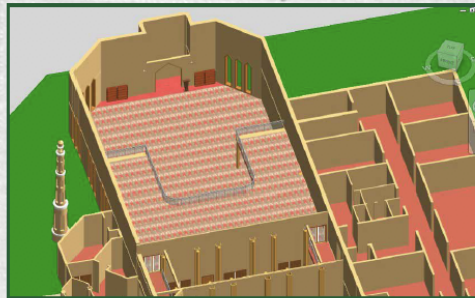
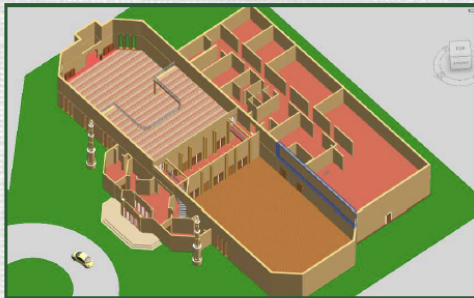
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is vital for our community





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**Islamic Society of Niagara Frontier**



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**Masjid Taqwa**

# Quran & Islamic Studies



A: Fri 5-6 Sat & Sun 11-12  
B: Fri 6-7 Sat & Sun 12-1  
girls ages 5-15, boys 5-8

- AlQaidah Noorani
- Quran Recitation
- Tajweed
- Memorization
- Seerah
- Aqeedah & Fiqh

\$ 40 / mo

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# Masjidi

 **Jami Masjid**

<b>Salah</b>	<b>Start Time</b>	 <b>Iqam...</b>
Fajr	05:49 am	06:15 am
Sunrise	07:07 am	
Zuhr	01:07 pm	01:45 pm
Asr	04:28 pm	06:00 pm
Maghrib	07:06 pm	07:06 pm
Isha	08:24 pm	09:00 pm
Jumu'a...	01:20 pm	N/A
Jumu'a...	N/A	N/A

... Muharram 27th ...

JAMI MASJID PROGRAMS – NOVEMBER 2019

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WED	THURS.	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	*Quran 12:30-1:30p is for older girls & ladies. Quran 2-3p is for children & brothers.	Jami holds taleem (reading w commentary) evening duaa and adhkar daily at 9p.			1 WRESTLING 3:30-5:30p GHAZALI BOOK CLUB 4:30p-5:45p GIRLS SOCCER 5-6p MEN'S TKD 5-6p LADIES TKD 6-7p BLOS GIRLS & KIDS STEM 7-8p	2 CALLIGRAPHY 11a-12p COOLNESS 11a-1p WRITING 1-1:45p NEW: SRS. ESL 2-3p QURAN 12:30-1:30p Quran 2-3 cancelled MEN'S TKD 12p-1:30p LADIES TKD 2-4p GIRLS SOCCER 4:30-5:30p SALAH SEMINAR 11a-4p
3 SRS. PATHWAYS 10:30a-12:30a KIDS SEWING 12:30-1:30p QURAN 12:30-3p* MEN'S TKD 12:00p-1:30p LADIES TKD 2-4p	4 WRESTLING 3:30-5:30p MEN'S TKD 6p-7p	5 TIGER TKD 3:25p-4:15p LADIES TKD 6-7p	6 WRESTLING 3:30-5:30p MEN'S TKD 6p-7p	7 TIGER TKD 3:25p-4:15p SRS. HADITH COURSE & KIDS SAHABAHS CLASS 5:30p-6:30p	8 WRESTLING 3:30-5:30p BOOK CLUB 4:30p-5:45p GIRLS SOCCER 5-6p MEN'S TKD 5p-6p LADIES TKD 6-7p BLOS GIRLS & KIDS STEM 7-8p	9 CALLIGRAPHY 11a-12p COOLNESS 11a-1p WRITING 1-1:45p SRS. ESL 2-3p QURAN 12:30-3p* MEN'S TKD 12-1:30 LADIES TKD 2-4p GIRLS SOCCER 4:30-5:30p
10 SRS ISLAM 101 10:30a-12:30p TODDLER CORNER 12:30-1:30p QURAN 12:30-3p* MEN'S TKD 12-1:30p LADIES TKD 2-4p KIDS COOKING 3-4 QASIDA BURDA 7p	11 WRESTLING 3:30-5:30p MEN'S TKD 6p-7p	12 TIGER TKD 3:25p-4:15p LADIES TKD 6-7p	13 WRESTLING 3:30-5:30p MEN'S TKD 6p-7p	14 TIGER TKD 3:25p-4:15p SRS. HADITH COURSE & KIDS SAHABAHS CLASS 5:30p-6:30p	15 WRESTLING 3:30-5:30p BOOK CLUB 4:30p-5:45p GIRLS SOCCER 5-6p LADIES TKD 6-7p MEN'S TKD 7-8p BLOS GIRLS & KIDS STEM 7-8p BROTHERS DINNER	16 CALLIGRAPHY 11a-12p COOLNESS 11a-1p WRITING 1-1:45p SRS. ESL 2-3p QURAN CANCELLED MEN'S TKD 12-1:30 LADIES TKD 2-4p GIRLS SOCCER 4:30-5:30p
17 SRS. PATHWAYS KIDS SEWING, & QURAN are CANCELLED MEN'S TKD 12:00p-1:30p LADIES TKD 2-4p	18 WRESTLING 3:30-5:30p MEN'S TKD 6p-7p	19 TIGER TKD 3:25p-4:15p LADIES TKD 6-7p	20 WRESTLING 3:30-5:30p MEN'S TKD 6p-7p	21 TIGER TKD 3:25p-4:15p SRS. HADITH COURSE & KIDS SAHABAHS CLASS 5:30p-6:30p QASIDA BURDA 7p	22 **TKD DEMO** 2:30p-3:15p WRSTLING 3:30-5:3 BOOKCLUB 4:30p-5:45p GIRLS SOCCER 5-6p LADIES TKD 6-7p MEN'S TKD 7-8p BLOS GIRLS & KIDS STEM 7-8	23 CALLIGRAPHY 11a-12p COOLNESS 11a-1p WRITING 1-1:45p SRS. ESL 2-3p QURAN 12:30-3p* MEN'S TKD12-1:30 LADIES TKD 2-4p GIRLS SOCCER 4:30-5:30p
24 SISTERS M&G TODDLER CORNER 12:30-1:30p QURAN 12:30-3p* MEN'S TKD 12-1:3 LADIES TKD 2-4p KIDS COOKING 3-4	25 WRESTLING 3:30-5:30p MEN'S TKD 6p-7p	26 TIGER TKD 3:25p-4:15p LADIES TKD 6-7p	27 WRESTLING 3:30-5:30p MEN'S TKD 6p-7p	28 Micro Madrasa Classes Break	29 Micro Madrasa Classes Break LADIES TKD 6-7p MEN'S TKD 7-8p	30 Micro Madrasa Classes Break SRS. ESL 2-3p MEN'S TKD 12p-1:30p LADIES TKD 2-4p



September 16<sup>th</sup>, 2019 – December 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2019

CLASS NAME & DESCRIPTION	DAY	TIME	AGES	FEE	TEACHER
<b><u>QURAN CLASS</u></b> Learn how to properly read the Quran & incorporate the rules of Tajweed. Understand the short surahs & internalize their meaning.	SATURDAY & SUNDAY	2-3pm 12:30-1:30p	Girls 5-10 Boys 5+ Girls 10+	NONE NONE	Br. Zahir (starts 9/28) Sr. Fatimah (starts 10/5)
<b><u>TIGER TAE KWON DO</u></b> A specialized class for children to learn self-defense, discipline & hand & foot techniques.	TUESDAY & THURSDAY	3:25-4:15pm	Boys & Girls 5-12	\$50	Quanjanim and Sabunim Fernandez
<b><u>GHAZALI BOOK CLUB</u></b> Presents essential teachings for children in a fun and enjoyable way through story and craft following the Ghazali educational package.	FRIDAY	4:30-5:45pm	Boys & Girls 5-10	NONE	Sr. Sherry
<b><u>GIRLS SOCCER CLINIC</u></b> A high energy class carefully designed to enhance your child's soccer skills and overall growth and well-being.	THURSDAY SATURDAY	5-6p 4:30-5:30p	Girls Ages 11+	\$25	Coach Hibbah
<b><u>JAMI KIDS COOKING</u></b> Learn the basic life skill of cooking from a young age. Designed to include sunnah foods.	EVERY OTHER SUNDAY	3-4p	Boys 7-12 Girls 7-10	\$20	Br. Myles
<b><u>ISLAMIC CALLIGRAPHY 4 GIRLS</u></b> Learn and practice the basics of working with ink pens & Arabic and English script.	SATURDAY	11a-12p	Girls ages 11-15	\$25	Sr. Fatima
<b><u>JAMI KIDS SEWING</u></b> Children will design their own projects, learning basic terminology and stitching techniques.	EVERY OTHER SUNDAY	12:30-1:30p	Boys & Girls ages 5-8	\$10	Sr. Zubaidah
<b><u>NU'AYMANS TODDLER CORNER</u></b> Free play with hands on materials, developing important cooperation skills and language.	EVERY OTHER SUNDAY	12:30-1:30p	Boys & Girls Ages 2-5 with parent	NONE	Sr. Zubaidah
<b><u>COOLNESS OF OUR EYES</u></b> Character building and personal development based on the Quran & Sunnah	SATURDAY	11a-1p	Boys 6-10 Girls 6-11	\$50	Sr. Sevda
<b><u>WRITING AND READING ENRICHMENT</u></b> Students will focus on the writing process from different types of texts	SATURDAY	1-1:45p	8 <sup>th</sup> grade and up	\$50	Sr. Sevda
<b><u>BLOSSOMING GIRLS</u></b> A coming of age tea circle, a safe platform for guided discussion on everyday girl issues.	FRIDAY	7-8p	Girls ages 11-16	NONE	Sr. Magda & Sr. Karema
<b><u>JAMI KIDS STEM PROGRAM</u></b> Fun science, technology, engineering and math activities for children.	FRIDAY	7-8p (During BG)	Boys & Girls ages 6-9	NONE	Sr. Zubaidah
<b><u>JAMI KIDS SAHABAS CLASS</u></b> Stories and lessons from the companions of the Messenger (sallallahu alayhi wa salam)	THURSDAYS	6:30-7:30p	Boys & Girls ages 5-12	NONE	Br. Zahir & Br. Tamer

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SISTERS ONLY EVENT

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SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2ND

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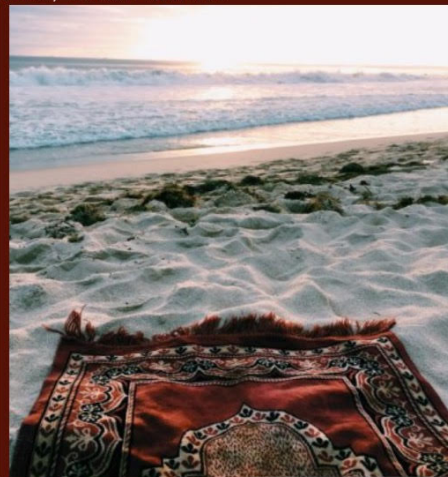
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 716-533-2343 (\$25 for 10 classes)

Arabic: خوش  
 Hindi: स्वागतम्  
 Spanish: Bienvenido!  
 Burmese: ကြိုဆိုပါသည်  
 Chinese: 欢迎来到团体  
 Braille: . . . . .

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## WHAT YOU CAN DO TO HELP!

**GOAL: 10** volunteers willing to donate **\$100** each will provide funds necessary to purchase a bounce house intended to be utilized both by Jami Masjid and Universal School. This is a great opportunity to help make childrens time in the masjid enjoyable during various events/ occasions.



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\$20 per person

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3-4 PM

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*Calligraphy*  
Class

With Ustatha Fatima Alwan

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SATURDAY

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Ages 11+

Thursday-5-6 PM  
Saturday-4:30-5:30 PM

\$25

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Imam Shafie

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of the sahabahs

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# SISTERS PATHWAYS WORKSHOP

DUNYA TO DEEN

BI WEEKLY SUNDAYS

10:30A-12:30P









# CHILDREN OF JAMI NEED YOUR HELP!



## OBJECTIVE

- To provide a children's reading corner including spiritual, holistic, clean & meaningful books
- Create an efficient space for the reading enrichment of our children and their development



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Dec 24th - Jan 3rd



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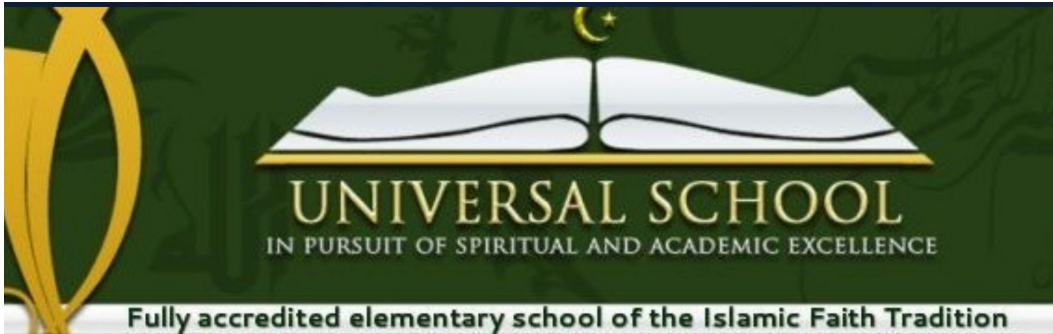
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