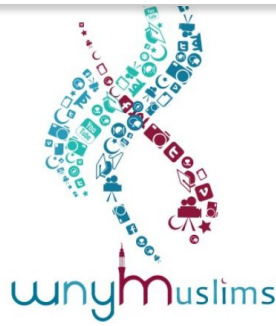


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Western New York Muslims

WNYMuslims Action Committee Meeting

Our next monthly **Action Committee Meeting** is being scheduled on
Tuesday September 17 at 5:30 PM at
[4011 Bailey Avenue Amherst 14226](https://www.google.com/maps/place/4011+Bailey+Avenue+Amherst+14226).

Refreshments will be served.

Please RSVP at your earliest convenience.

Ph: (716) 923-4386

Email: wnym@wnymuslims.org



Fall 2019 Semester

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

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 or click [here](#) or call (716) 923-4386

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.



Its' time for our

Fifth Annual Diversity Cruise

On **Sunday September 15, 2019**

From **4-6 PM**

Boards at 3:30 PM and departs at 4:00 PM, sharp.

From

It is an opportunity to mingle with our community members on the water and explore the diverse cultures that surround Western New York.

The tour is full of fun, games and food.

Get ready to have fun with your family and friends.

Limited space available.

Book now !!!

Pre-sale tickets: \$15/Adults
\$10/Children, Under 5 free

Tickets at gate: \$20/Adults
\$15/Children, Under 5 free

Looking for Henna Artists !!!

For further details please call us at
716-923-4386,

Click [here](#) to buy the tickets
or scan the following QR Code:



We hope to see you there!



Islamic Society of Niagara Frontier

Masjid An-Noor

📍 [745 Heim Road, Getzville NY 14068](#)

☎ [\(716\) 568-1013](#)

✉ imamanoor@isnf.org

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Quran Classes At Masjid An-Noor

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

Classes are held on every

Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday.

Registration will be open on:

September 3rd & 4th between 6 - 7:10 PM

Sunday School 2019 - 2020

Start date: September 22nd 2019.

For more details please click [here](#)

For registration please [visit](#)

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.
- * Traffic safety issues & inability to back the car from their driveway due to blocked view of the road.

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

- * **No parking on Montbleu Drive on Fridays between 11 AM - 4 PM** (*Signs will be posted soon by the town*).
- * **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** (*Signs will be posted soon by the town*).

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

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	Fifty-eight parking spaces	The main prayer-area is being increased from current 3000 sq. ft.

The site-plan was approved by the **Amherst Planning Department** in June 2018. We applied for the building permit in January 2019. The **Building permit is now available** to us once we sign contract with a builder. The 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 **\$838,000**. 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.

Support ISNF at No Extra Cost

Please go to <https://smile.amazon.com> 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 visit the embedded link.](#)

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 from the embedded link](#)

and mail to ISNF.

You can also donate online

[by clicking on the embedded link](#)

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

Masjid Taqwa

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

 [\(716\) 568-1013](tel:(716)568-1013)

 imamattaqwa@isnf.org

 <http://isnf.org/>

Quran&IslamicStudies

Saturdays from 5 PM - 6 PM

&

Sundays from 12 PM - 1 PM



Muslim Society of Buffalo

Jami Masjid

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

☎ 716-300-5040

✉ jamiprograms@gmail.com

🌐 www.jamibuffalo.com

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SPECIAL NOMADS PROGRAM BFLO Nomads Bonfire & Life Night

On **Friday September 20**

From **7-10 PM**

Performances by Islamic Rappers

Mustafa Abdul Basit & Quadir Latif

Women's Weekend Retreat

From Friday September 13 7:30 PM - Sunday September 15 3:30 PM

A detailed schedule will be sent to all registrants.

We are happy to announce Jami's second women's weekend retreat inshaAllah!

We are excited to host **Anse Shehnaz Karim** as our guest speaker. She has studied with the foremost scholars of Syria. She received her *ijāza* in the recitation of *Quran* from the late Shaikh Muḥyī al-Dīn al-Kurdī in 1999. Anse Shehnaz is one of the founding members of Sanad Collective, and teaches weekly to a large following at the Rhoda Institute in Ottawa, Canada.

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Registration covers program and meals. The program will begin roughly There will be a children's program offered alongside the women's program. Please see the registration page for more info.

We will not be offering overnight accommodations.

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Spots are limited. Please [register](#)

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May Allah, most high, allow us to be in the company of, and benefit from, the light of

For any questions please [email](#)

PROGRAMS

Micro Madrasa Classes

New Semester Enrollment

Fall semester of Micro Madrasa Kids Classes starting

Monday, September 16th.

This semester is featuring many new classes that allow students to learn, explore and get creative! Please see the attached schedule and registration info.

Registration deadline is 9/13 - Semester Dates are 9/16 - 12/22

To register please click [here](#).

Be sure to include all the information on the registration form. Upon receiving your registration, you will be added to a student list where all updates and announcements will be sent regarding that specific class. Class fees, if applicable, are due at the first class.

Sibling discounts available.

Please scroll down to see the Micro Madrasa Schedule

September Calendar

Please note the specific starting date for each Micro Madrasa Kid's Class. A calendar will be sent each month reflecting all Kid's Classes and other Jami Programs. To view a clear PDF image of the calendar click [here](#).

PROJECTS

Welcoming Bees!

We would like to humbly welcome our bee family back to the Jami Community. We are honored to have been able to provide them with a temporary abode on our property. They will be settling in the back area for the next several months and we hope, you remain hospitable toward them. If you don't bother them, they won't bother you, Insha'Allah! These blessed families will pollinate and balance the ecosystem near Jami, help our fruit trees and vegetable garden blossom, and revive the fitra in our community. Bees are rare and beautiful creations have been given revelation in the Quran by Allah Ta'la and thus we pray that we are blessed by their presence. May Allah Ta'la make our new family a source of *khair* and harvest for all of us.



Lackawanna Islamic Mosque

Masjid Al-Huda

 [154 Wilkesbarre Ave Lackawanna NY 14218](#)

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:

Lessons from *Sahih Muslim* (After *Maghrib*)

Thursday:

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

Friday:

General Lesson (After *Maghrib*)

Saturday:

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

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 [1373 Fillmore Ave. Buffalo NY 14211](https://www.google.com/maps/place/1373+Fillmore+Ave,+Buffalo,+NY+14211)

 (716) 892 1332

 masjidnumansite@gmail.com

 <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

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.



Jafferya Islamic Center

Jaffarya Islamic Center

 [10300 Transit Rd. East Amherst, NY 14051](https://www.google.com/maps/place/10300+Transit+Rd,+East+Amherst,+NY+14051)

 (716) 689-3120

 jaffaryacenter@jaffarya.org

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

ANNOUNCEMENT

Muharram 2019 Programs

The daily program will start at **8:00 PM** with Magrebain prayers followed by Majlis e Azaa Imam Hussain a.s. Maulana Sayyed Ali Qazwini (Detroit, Michigan) will give speeches in English followed by Matam e Hussain a.s. and Tabarruk.

PROGRAM

Weekly Programs

Sunday School: Every Sunday Morning at **10:00 am** sharp.

Salatul Jummah: Every Friday Afternoon at **1:30 pm** sharp.

Interfaith Seminars

The Role of Women as Nations Builders 10th Annual Seminar in a Series of Interfaith Discussions

On **Thursday September 19, 2019**

From **6 PM - 8 PM**

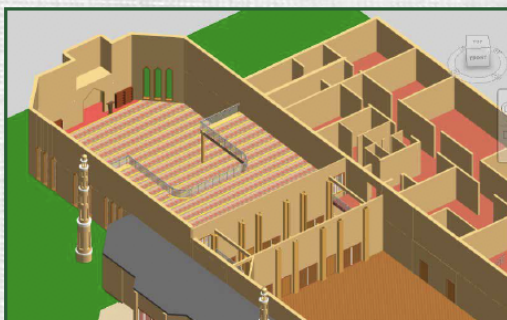
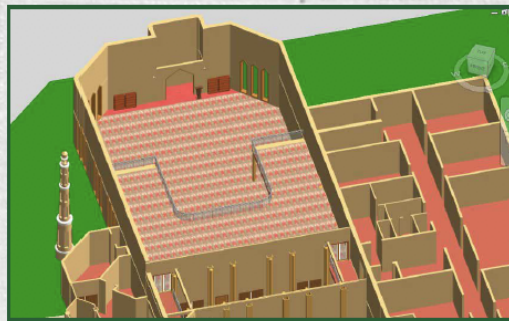
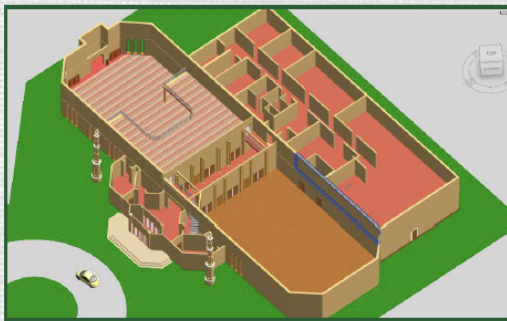
At [Westminster Presbyterian Church, Buffalo](#)

Admission is Free!

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS:



Masjid Expansion is vital for our community



Time is Now

Life is Short

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Islamic Society of Niagara Frontier

MASJID EXPANSION PROJECT

Two-Year Pledge (May 2019- May 2021)

I pledge to donate for:

Amount

(choose one or more by crossing the box next to them)

<input type="checkbox"/>	A prayer-space on the 1st new row of the Masjid	\$5,000/year (\$417/month)
<input type="checkbox"/>	A prayer-space on the 2nd-5th new rows of the Masjid	\$2500/year (\$208/month)
<input type="checkbox"/>	A prayer-space on the 6th-8th new rows of the Masjid	\$1200/year (\$100/month)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Other elements of Masjid Expansion (bricks, roof etc.)	\$ _____ (--- /month) (Write your own amount)

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Your donation to ISNF is tax deductible.



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

@Masjid Taqwa/Parker
Sr Bushra: (716)817-4817



Jami Masjid

JAMI MASJID PROGRAMS - SEPTEMBER 2019

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WED	THURS.	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2	3 LADIES TKD 6-7p NOMADS WRESTLING 8-9:30p	4	5 SRS. HADITH COURSE & KIDS SAHABAH CLASS 6:30p-7:30p NOMADS WRESTLING 6-7:30p	6 MEN'S TKD 5-6p LADIES TKD 6-7p	7 MEN'S TKD 12:00p-1:30p LADIES TKD 2-4p
8 SRS. PATHWAYS WORKSHOP 10:30a-12:30a IMAM ZAID SHAKIR YOUTH TALK 11a-12p	9 MEN'S TKD 6p-7p	10 LADIES TKD 6-7p NOMADS WRESTLING 8-9:30p	11 MEN'S TKD 6p-7p	12 SRS. HADITH COURSE & KIDS SAHABAH CLASS 6:30p-7:30p NOMADS WRESTLING 6-7:30p	13 MEN'S TKD 5p-6p LADIES TKD 6-7p LADIES RETREAT	14 MEN'S TKD 12:00p-1:30p LADIES TKD 2-4p LADIES RETREAT
15 MEN'S TKD 12:00p-1:30p LADIES TKD 2-4p LADIES RETREAT	16 MEN'S TKD 6p-7p MICRO MADRASA SEMESTER BEGINS	17 TIGER TKD 3:25-4:15 LADIES TKD 6-7p NOMADS WRESTLING 8-9:30p	18 MEN'S TKD 6p-7p	19 TIGER TKD 3:25-4:15 GIRLS SOCCER 5-6p SRS. HADITH COURSE & KIDS SAHABAH CLASS 6:30p-7:30p NOMADS WRESTLING 6-7:30p	20 GHAZALI BOOK CLUB 4:30p-5:45p MEN'S TKD 5-6p LADIES TKD 6-7p BLOS GIRLS & KIDS STEM 7-8p	21 CALLIGRAPHY 11a-12p COOLNESS CLASS 11a-1p WRITING 1-1:45p MEN'S TKD 12:00p-1:30p LADIES TKD 2-4p GIRLS SOCCER 4:30-5:30p
22 SISTERS BASICS OF ISLAM 10:30a-12:30p KIDS SEWING 12:30-1:30p MEN'S TKD 12:00p-1:30p LADIES TKD 2-4p KIDS COOKING 3p-4p	23 MEN'S TKD 6p-7p	24 TIGER TKD 3:25-4:15 LADIES TKD 6-7p NOMADS WRESTLING 8-9:30p	25 MEN'S TKD 6p-7p	26 TIGER TKD 3:25-4:15 GIRLS SOCCER 5-6p SRS. HADITH COURSE & KIDS SAHABAH CLASS 6:30p-7:30p NOMADS WRESTLING 6-7:30p	27 GHAZALI BOOK CLUB 4:30p-5:45p MEN'S TKD 5-6p LADIES TKD 6-7p BLOS GIRLS & KIDS STEM 7-8p QASIDA BURDA 8pm	28 CALLIGRAPHY 11a-12p COOLNESS CLASS 11a-1p WRITING 1-1:45p QURAN 2-3p* MEN'S TKD 12p-1:30p LADIES TKD 2-4p GIRLS SOCCER 4:30-5:30p
29 SRS. PATHWAYS WORKSHOP 10:30a-12:30a TODDLER CORNER 12:30-1:30p MEN'S TKD 12:00p-1:30p QURAN 2p-3p* LADIES TKD 2-4p	30 MEN'S TKD 6p-7p	31 TIGER TKD 3:25-4:15 LADIES TKD 6-7p NOMADS WRESTLING 8-9:30p				Please note there is taleem (reading w commentary) evening duas and adhkar daily at 9:30p

September 16th, 2019 – December 22nd, 2019

CLASS NAME & DESCRIPTION	DAY	TIME	AGES	FEE	TEACHER
<u>QURAN CLASS</u> 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)
<u>TIGER TAE KWON DO</u> 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
<u>GHAZALI BOOK CLUB</u> 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
<u>GIRLS SOCCER CLINIC</u> 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
<u>JAMI KIDS COOKING</u> 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
<u>ISLAMIC CALLIGRAPHY 4 GIRLS</u> Learn and practice the basics of working with ink pens & Arabic and English script.	SATURDAY	11a-12p	Girls ages 11-15	\$25	Sr. Fatima
<u>JAMI KIDS SEWING</u> 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
<u>NU'AYMANS TODDLER CORNER</u> 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
<u>COOLNESS OF OUR EYES</u> Character building and personal development based on the Quran & Sunnah	SATURDAY	11a-1p	Boys 6-10 Girls 6-11	\$50	Sr. Sevda
<u>WRITING AND READING ENRICHMENT</u> Students will focus on the writing process from different types of texts	SATURDAY	1-1:45p	8 th grade and up	\$50	Sr. Sevda
<u>BLOSSOMING GIRLS</u> 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
<u>JAMI KIDS STEM PROGRAM</u> Fun science, technology, engineering and math activities for children.	FRIDAY	7-8p (During BG)	Boys & Girls ages 6-9	NONE	Sr. Zubaidah
<u>JAMI KIDS SAHABAS CLASS</u> 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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Women's Retreat

Guest Speaker Anse Shehnaz Karim

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Hafez Zahir & Br. Tamer

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10:30A-12:30P



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WELLNESS

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IN THE TREES AND IN ANYTHING WHICH MEN MAY BUILD,
AND FEED ON EVERY KIND
OF FRUIT AND FOLLOW THE SMOOTH WAYS OF YOUR RABB.
FROM ITS BELLY COMES FORTH
A SYRUP OF DIFFERENT COLORS,
WHICH CONTAINS A HEALING FOR MANKIND.
CERTAINLY IN THIS THERE IS
A SIGN FOR THOSE WHO THINK.
-SURAH 16, 68 & 69



BE LIKE A BEE

— *Prophet Muhammad* —

The Messenger of Allah said:

BY THE ONE IN WHOSE HAND IS THE SOUL

**OF MUHAMMAD,
THE BELIEVER IS LIKE
A BEE WHICH EATS THAT WHICH
IS PURE AND WHOLESOME AND LAYS THAT WHICH
IS PURE AND WHOLESOME.
WHEN IT LANDS ON SOMETHING
it does not break
OR RUIN IT".**

— *Ahmad* —



[Interfaith Seminars](#)

10th Annual Seminar in a Series of Interfaith Discussions

The Role of Women as Nation Builders

Thursday, September 19th 2019, 6-8 PM

Location: Westminster Presbyterian Church, Buffalo

www.wpcbuffalo.org

Register at [**interfaithseminar@gmail.com**](mailto:interfaithseminar@gmail.com)

Admission is **FREE!**

Registration is encouraged.

Refreshments will be served.

Throughout history, women have played a pivotal role in conflict resolution and nation building. However, their contributions are often overlooked or ignored. Policymakers at the global and national levels are slow to embrace the reality that women can do more than procreate and raise a family. The early struggles against discriminatory laws and socio-cultural attitudes were based on the presumption that women were inferior to men. Today, in a quest for equality, women have made great strides in many sphere of social, political and professional life.

This Interfaith Seminar will discuss how Education, Community Outreach, Political Involvement and Family Life can contribute to a Woman's Responsibility towards Nation Building.

Katie Burd, Lynn Brunner, Evelyn Brady, Shanaz Butt, will present their views on these topics.

Sawrie Becker will moderate the seminar.

Interfaith Partners:


Women's Auxillary of the Ahmadiyya Muslim Community & Westminster Presbyterian Church




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