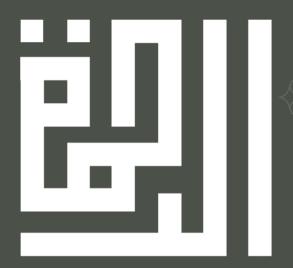
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"RAMADAN IS THE MONTH IN WHICH THE QURAN WAS REVEALED AS A GUIDE FOR HUMANITY WITH CLEAR PROOFS OF GUIDANCE AND THE DECISIVE AUTHORITY" (SURAH ALBAQARAH 185)



# AR RAHMAH

ISLAMIC CENTER OF AURORA COLORADO

## MESSAGE FROM THE BOARD

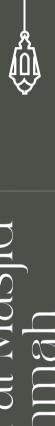
#### AsSalamu Alaikum WaRahmatullah WaBarakatuh!

All Praise and Thanks is for Allah the Most High, Who out of His Infinite Mercy, has blessed us with life into this Ramadan. May His peace and blessings be upon Prophet Muhammad (S) who taught us how to best realize our fullest potential this month.

Abu Huraira (R) narrates that Allah's Messenger (S) said, "Whoever observes fasts during the month of Ramadan out of sincere faith, and hoping to attain Allah's rewards, then all their past sins will be forgiven." (Sahih Bukhari). In another narration, Abu Hurairah (R) narrated that, the Messenger of Allah (S) said: "Whoever stands in the voluntary night prayer of Ramadan out of faith and in the hope of Allah's reward, their previous sins will be forgiven. And whoever spends the night of Lailat Al-Qadr in prayer out of faith and in the hope of Allah's reward, their previous sins will be forgiven." (Sunan An-Nasa'i)

We remind ourselves of the great opportunity this month to earn Allah's pleasure, forgiveness, and mercy. Ramadan is also the month of the Quran, and this month presents a renewed opportunity for us to reconnect with Allah's words, derive inspiration, and learn to love the Book which is the foundation of our faith and way of life. We ask Allah to accept our deeds and allow us to grow closer to Him during Ramadan.

On behalf of the Board at Masjid ArRahmah, we congratulate you on reaching this month of Ramadan, and we hope that you may participate and benefit in the programs being offered at our Masjid this year!



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### **IMPORTANT DATES**

Taraweeh Starts	Sunday, March 10, 2024
Ramadan/Fasting Starts	Monday, March 11, 2024
Last 10 Nights Begin	Saturday, March 30, 2024
Qiyam Al-Layl Start	Saturday, March 30, 2024
Last Jumu'ah of Ramadan	Friday, April 5, 2024
Last Day of Fasting	Tuesday, April 9, 2024
Eid-ul-Fitr	Wednesday, April 10, 2024

PLEASE NOTE: These dates are the calculated dates from the Fiqh Council of North America Calendar. Masjid ArRahmah follows the sighting policies by the Colorado Imam Council, and dates are subject to change. Please see Facebook and Instagram for updates.



# Du'aas for Fasting

**DUA FOR FASTING** 

ٱللَّهُمَّ أَصُومُ لَكَ فَٱغْفِرْ لِي مَا قَدَّمْتُ وَمَا أَخَرْتُ

Allahumma asumu laka fagh fir-li ma qad-damtu wa-ma akh-khartu O Allah! I shall fast for Your sake, so forgive my future and past sins.



ALTERNATIVE DUA

بِصَوْمِ غَدٍ نَوَيْتُ مِنْ شَهْرِ رَمَضَانَ

Bi-sawmi ghadin nawaiytu min shahri ramadan I intend to keep the fast tomorrow in the month of Ramadan.

#### DUA WHEN BREAKING FAST

ذَهَبَ الظَّمَأُ وَٱبْتَلَّتِ ٱلْعُرُوقُ وَتَبَتَ ٱلْأَجْرُ إِنْ شَاءَ ٱللَّهُ

Dhahaba al-Dhama'u wa abtalat al-'urooqu wa thabata al-ajru in sha Allah The thirst is gone, the veins are moistened and the reward is certain if Allah wills.

# IFTAR & DINNER



Iftar & Dinner will be offered every Friday, Saturday, and Sunday as well as every night during the last 10 nights.

## We are looking for sponsors for Iftar and Dinner!

Total Cost for Iftar and dinner for 150 people: \$2320/night

We are also looking for sponsors for Suhoor during the last 10 nights with the total cost being \$300/night

To sponsor, contact:

Brother Tahir: 303-587-9100 (Brothers) Sister Farah: 720-394-4143 (Sisters)

Iftar Menu: dates, milk, fruit, soup, and a snack
Dinner Menu: chicken/lamb curry, vegetable curry, rice, bread,
salad, and dessert



# Taraweeh



Expected to start Sunday, March 10 after Isha' Prayer Isha' Prayed 10 minutes after Adhaan

8 Rakahs, Shaf' + Witr in **1 Hour**  Qunoot Du'aa on **Thurs, Fri, Sat** Only Completion of Quran on **29th Night** 

## \*Nightly Khatira Between Adhaan and Isha\*

## <u>Qira'ah Schedule</u>

Bagarah 1 - Bagarah 112 Niaht 1: Night 2: Bagarah 113 - Bagarah 215 Night 3: Bagarah 216 - Bagarah 286 Night 4: Al-E-Imran 1 - Al-E-Imran 121 Night 5: Al-e-imran 122 - Nisaa 23 Night 6: Nisaa 24 - Nisaa 121 Night 7: Nisaa 122 - Maaidah 36 Night 8: Maaidah 37 - An'aam 18 Niaht 9: An'aam 19 - An'aam 137 Night 10: An'aam 138 - A'raaf 87 Night 11: A'raaf 88 - Anfaal 8 Night 12: Anfaal 9 - Tawbah 40 Night 13: Tawbah 41 - Yunus 14 Night 14: Yunus 15 - Hud 37 Night 15: Hud 38 - Yusuf 52 Night 16: Yusuf 53 - Ibrahim 18 Night 17: Ibrahim 19 - Nahl 64 Night 18: Nahl 65 - Israa 75 Night 19: Israa 76 - Maryam 11 Night 20: Maryam 12 - Taha 135 Night 21: Anbiyaa 1 - Hajj 46 Night 22: Noor 59 - Shu'araa 159 Night 23: Qasas 71 - Room 50 Saba 15 - Yaseen 83 Night 24: Night 25: Zumar 68 - Fussilat 46 Night 26: Ahqaaf 1 - Hujuraat 18 Night 27: Hadeed 1 - Jumuah 11 Night 28: Muzzammil 1 - Inshigaaq 25

Duha 1 - Naas 6

Night 29:





# Special Guest





## A Weekend with Qari Adam Munshi Friday, March 15 - Saturday, March 16

Join us on the first weekend of Ramadan to enjoy a beautiful and soothing recitation of the Quran during Taraweeh, as we are joined by world renowned reciter Qari Adam Munshi during nights 6 and 7 of the Qira'ah schedule!

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# Annual Fundraiser



## "Living Up to Islam: A Vision for the Future"









Don't miss this exciting opportunity to support the community, explore our vision for the future, and the legacy we are building for Colorado Muslims!

We will be hosting Shaykh Fahad Tasleem from Sapience Institute, a distinguished spiritual leader and motivational speaker.

Saturday, 23 March, 2024 at 6:30 - 10 PM Monarch Events, 16786 E Hiff Ave, Aurora, CO 80013

Admission is \$25/person. Children 12 & under are free! Seats are limited! **RSVP at ica-co.org** 

Save \$5/ticket if you RSVP by 3/18/2024

# Weekend Programs

lst Weekend: A Weekend with Qari Adam Munshi



2nd Weekend: Annual Fundraiser with Sheikh Fahad Tasleem



# 3rd Weekend: Al-Furqaan Academy Guest Speaker

On the third weekend of Ramadan, Friday 29th of March we will be joined by a guest speaker from Al-Furqaan Academy



## 4th Weekend: ArRahmah Outreach Iftar

On the fourth weekend, Saturday, 6th of April, Masjid leadership and volunteers host a Colorado Muslims & Islam 101 Presentation and Community Iftar to build bridges with our non-muslim neighbors.



Story time for toddlers at 10AM every Sunday





# Last 10 Nights

"Indeed We have sent it (the Quran) down on the Night of al-Qadr. And what will make you understand what the Night of al-Qadr is? The Night of al-Qadr is better than one thousand months." Surah Al-Qadr 1-3



With regards to the last ten nights of Ramadan, A'isha (R) narrates that the Messenger of Allah (S) used to strive more in worship during Ramadan than he strove in any other time of the year; and he would devote himself more (in the worship of Allah) in the last ten nights of Ramadan than he strove in earlier part of the month. (Muslim)

We will be offering Qiyam Al-Layl this year at Masjid ArRahmah beginning on the 21st night of Ramadan (early morning of Sunday, March 31). Qiyam will start at 3:30am. Suhoor will be served each night during the last ten nights.

## **Qiyam Recitation Schedule**

**Night 21:** Hajj 47 - Noor58

Night 22: Shu'araa 160 - Qasas 70

Night 23: Room 51 - Saba 14

Night 24: Saaffaat 1 - Zumar 67

Night 25: Fussilat 47 - Jathiya 37

Night 26: Qaaf 1 - Waaqia 96

Night 27: Munaafiqoon 1 – Jinn 28

**Night 28:** Burooj 1 - Layl 21

Night 29: TBD

Night 30: TBD

# Reminders

#### 1. BE WELCOMING FOR CHILDREN

Be tolerant and aware of children around you. These children are our future leaders, let's make the masjid a place they feel at home. If behavior becomes intolerable please kindly and respectfully ask the parents to mitigate behavior.

#### 2. SPREAD SALAAM

Smile and greet people who you don't know, let's make people feel welcome and increase the sense of brotherhood and sisterhood in our community. The prophet (peace be upon him) said, "Smiling is an act of charity" (At-Tirmidhi)

#### 3. RESPECT FOR GUESTS AND SPEAKERS

Respect the person/s who are leading a discussion, lecture or prayer by being silent. If you must talk, please step outside. Refrain from distracting activities such as phones.

#### 4. OBSERVING ISLAMIC BEHAVIOR

Respecting others, humility, cleanliness, kindness, courtesy and arrange proper rows making sure to fill the gaps.

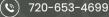
#### 5. MOSQUE CLEANLINESS

Please clean up after yourself. Ensure your prayer space and the bathroom is clean after use.

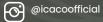
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