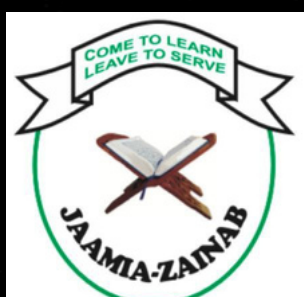


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# Ramadhane

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As the blessed month of Ramadhaan approaches us, we have to be well-prepared so we can enter it in the best way possible. Pre-planning is a fundamental part of a Mu'min's life. If we prepare ourselves from now, we can achieve our goal of having a spiritual and fruitful month.

## *How do we prepare?*

First and foremost, we have to cleanse our hearts. Freeing them of anything and everything bad.

Our ill intentions should be replaced with good ones. This will make it easier for us to make countless intentions for each deed we do. By doing this in Ramadhaan, we gain so much more reward.

Put an end to sinning. A small bad deed you do could stop the special Barakaat and Rahmah of Allah Ta'ala from reaching you. What a loss it would be to miss out on these precious blessings in the month of blessings. After you stop doing the act, make lots of Istighfaar and do Taubah, keeping in mind that Allah is غفور الرحيم.



Eliminate the habit of being lazy! Once we do this, it'll be easier to do more Ibadah. As a result of this, praying Taraweeh and other Nawafil will feel like a breeze.

To ensure that we have Barakah in our time and Ibadah, we should increase in our Adhkaar. We can easily pray lots of Tasbeeh as we do our day to day work.

From now we have to make it a habit to remember Allah Ta'ala at every given moment. By doing so we will not only improve the quality, focus and sincerity of our Salah, but of every act of worship we do.

*"Duaa is the essence of Ibadah."*

Make it a point to take out a few minutes to have a private conversation with Allah Ta'ala. Make Dua; cry and beg from your most merciful Rabb.

For us to make sure that all our efforts are fruitful, we have to constantly make Dua for success and acceptance in the courts of our Rabb. ربنا تقبل منا