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HOPE**

HELP SAVE LIVES

**Ramadan
2021**

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TRUST ALLAH
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'And whoever puts their trust in Allah, then He will suffice him'.

[The Noble Qur'an, 65:3]

THIS RAMADAN, WE ARE CALLING ON YOU ONCE AGAIN TO TRUST ALLAH (SWT) AND HAVE HOPE IN HIS HELP.

ALHAMDULILLAH, we have been granted the chance to live through another blessed Ramadan. Now, more than ever, your Zakat and Sadaqah can be a source of hope for yourself and others.

THE PROPHET (SAW) ENCOURAGED US TO GIVE CHARITY DURING TIMES OF HARDSHIP. It protects us from calamity, increases our provision and, most importantly, demonstrates our trust in Allah and our efforts to please Him. This Ramadan, the world is still dealing with the effects of the Coronavirus pandemic and every donation you make is another chance for you to gain immense rewards while supporting our brothers and sisters through this major crisis.

Don't miss out on this essential worship in Ramadan 2021. Trust Allah. Hold on to hope. Help save lives.

Give to the Zakat Fund to fulfil your obligation and support those in need.

Our worldwide teams have been distributing Zakat for over 25 years, but it is more important than ever that your donations reach those most in need. These unprecedented times have harshly impacted those who were already suffering, and they need our help to sustain them through this crisis. Your Zakat is a lifeline for impoverished communities and families living in emergency zones.

Zakat is the third pillar of Islam and one of the most important acts of worship. It is obligatory upon every adult Muslim of sound mind, if their wealth exceeds the minimum amount known as Nisab.



GIVE ZAKAT

'And establish prayer, give Zakat and obey the Messenger so that mercy may be shown to you'.

[The Noble Qur'an, 24:56]

We are here to answer any questions you have about Zakat!



Visit our website for all the Zakat resources you need, including our handy Zakat Calculator.

muslimhands.org.za/zakat/calculator

Or call our team on **021 633 6413**





WHERE MOST NEEDED FUND

When you give to the Where Most Needed Fund, your Zakat and Sadaqah are allocated to where the need is greatest.

ALHAMDULILLAH, this is a holistic and far-reaching fund that supports our international teams during emergencies like natural disasters for example. It is not only there to provide immediate relief to people during a crisis but also to ensure the sustainable and long-term development of vulnerable communities. We do this by supporting local schools, livelihoods and essential health and water projects.



The Messenger of Allah (saw) said, 'Whoever fulfilled the needs of his brother, Allah will fulfil his needs'.

[Bukhari]

IF YOU ARE STRUGGLING TO DECIDE WHICH CAUSE TO SUPPORT – simply give to the Where Most Needed Fund and our team of global experts will decide where your Zakat and Sadaqah will have the greatest impact.

SYRIAN REFUGEE CRISIS

The Messenger of Allah (saw) said,

'It (Shaam) is Allah's best land, to which He sends His best servants'.

[Abu Dawud]

Help save and protect the lives of 4 million Syrian refugees living in Turkey



After more than a decade, Syria is still a war zone

Many seek refuge in existing IDP camps in Turkey, often sleeping out in the cold as there is not enough space.

This Ramadan, we are calling on you to provide food, medication, and protection to Syrian refugees in Turkey, who have lost everything, but their hope. They need you in their hour of need.



SAVE SYRIAN LIVES

Syria Crisis - **Open Fund**



R500 can provide a **hygiene pack** for a family



R1 300 can provide a **water filter** for a family



R1 400 can provide a **family food parcel**



R2 400 can provide a family with a **home**



R3 800 can provide a **family relief package**

People living in Indian-administered Kashmir have been under harsh lockdowns and curfew restrictions for almost two years now and it's a dire situation. The local economy has been crippled by the closure of businesses and already-impoorished communities are silently battling to survive.

Throughout this difficult time, you have been providing food and medicine to vulnerable families, as well as sponsoring orphans to continue their education at home.

It is vital that we keep supporting the people of Kashmir during this critical time. Our partners on the ground are one of the few charities allowed to work in the curfew zones so your donations will reach those who need it the most. Give to the Kashmir Fund this Ramadan.



GIVE TO KASHMIR

'Whoever brings ease to someone in difficulty, Allah will make it easy for him in this life and the next'.

[Muslim]

DONATE ANY AMOUNT
Kashmir Fund

GIVE HOPE TO KASHMIR



R2 500 provides **food** for one family for an entire month.



R12 500 can run an **ambulance service** for one week.

Give to the Rohingya Fund to improve living conditions and alleviate suffering.



GIVE TO THE ROHINGYA

Last month, a raging fire ripped through Kutupalong refugee camp in Cox's Bazar, destroying makeshift shelters and displacing more than 45,000 Rohingya refugees.

Survivors of this fire have already experienced untold trauma in Myanmar and now have been left with nothing. We urge you to give hope to our brothers and sisters and ensure they have emergency medical care and food relief to survive Ramadan and beyond.

The Messenger of Allah (saw) said,

'The example of the believers in their affection, mercy and compassion for each other is that of a body. When one limb aches, the whole body reacts with sleeplessness and fever'.

[Bukhari]

SUPPORT THE ROHINGYA



R1 700 can provide a family with **household essentials**



R4 250 can give a share in the construction or rehabilitation of a **deep water well**



R7 650 **medical camp** share

MULTIPLY THE REWARDS OF YOUR FAST

The Prophet (saw) said,

'Whoever feeds a person breaking his fast will earn the same reward as him, without anything being lessened from the reward of the fasting person'.

[Tirmidhi]

R1 500 Feed a fasting person Iftar for 1 month

R2 000 Ramadan Family Food Parcel

R50 Fitrah

R100 Fidyah
(for one day)

R3 000 Fidyah
(for the whole month)

R6 000 Kaffarah
Payment made if you miss a fast without a valid reason

The ongoing pandemic will make Iftar a daily battle for thousands of families both here in South Africa and around the world. Help ease their suffering by providing essential food items.

Each Iftar food parcel provides a family with everything they need to enjoy a nutritious Iftar and Sahur for the entire month of Ramadan. This year we will be concentrating our efforts to help impoverished communities in some of the most remote regions of South Africa, and the world. Give now so they too can enjoy the blessings of Ramadan.

PROVIDE IFTAR



FEED YOUR NEIGHBOURS

We distribute loaves of bread and tins of food to low-income families crippled by hunger and poverty across the Western Cape.

You can support this campaign by donating food items to help make sure that families do not starve, especially during the coming winter.

The Messenger of Allah (saw) said,

'He is not a believer whose stomach is filled while the neighbour to his side goes hungry'.

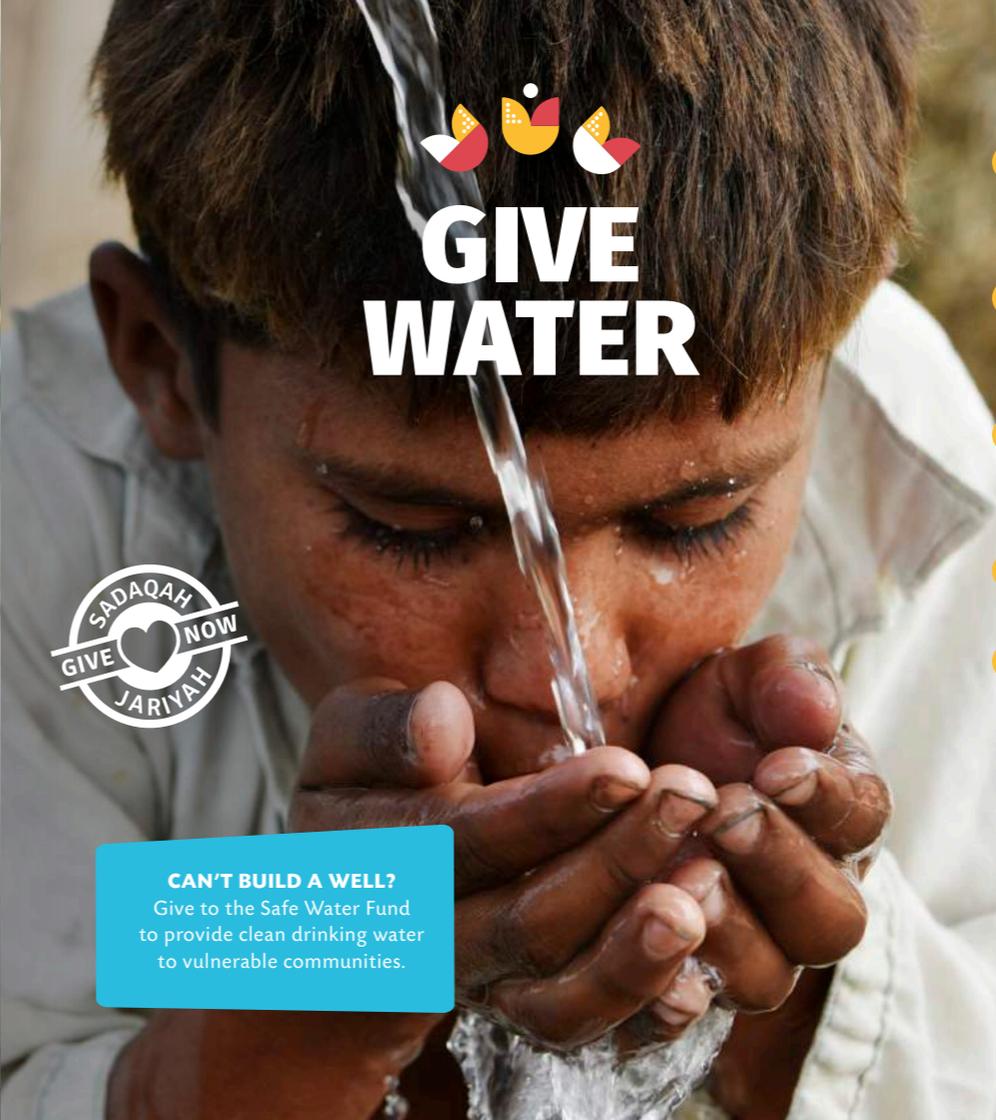
[Abu Dawud]





The Messenger of Allah (saw) was asked, 'Which charity is best?' He replied, '[Providing] water'. [Abu Dawud]

GIVING WATER IS A SADAQA H JARIYAH CHAIN REACTION!



GIVE WATER



CAN'T BUILD A WELL?
Give to the Safe Water Fund to provide clean drinking water to vulnerable communities.



GIVE THE BEST CHARITY

R4 500 Tube Well
Up to **four families** will benefit from this safe water source. It will be located next to their homes.

R12 850 Dig-a-Well
Up to **35 families** will benefit. It will be located in a communal place such as a village centre, school or masjid.

R48 500-R52 000 Community Well
It will serve more than **200 families** as well as providing enough water for their livestock and crops.

GIVE MONTHLY

To set up a monthly payment plan for your water well, visit muslimhands.org.za/our-work/water

MA SHA' ALLAH, YOUR GENEROSITY TOWARDS ORPHANS OVER THE PAST YEAR HAS BEEN PHENOMENAL. YOU HAVE HELPED ENSURE 9-YEAR-OLD MOBIDO AND HIS LITTLE SISTER CAN FINALLY GO TO SCHOOL.

Mobido's widowed mother had struggled to provide enough to feed her six children after his father passed away. As the youngest, Mobido and his sister would often go to bed starving.

ALHAMDULILLAH, your Zakat and Sadaqah has gone a long way in providing some relief for this mother's worries. Not only does Mobido and his sister receive a fantastic and free education, but they also get to eat nutritious meals during the day, make plenty of friends and receive medical check-ups throughout the year.



GIVE TO OUR ORPHAN FUND

WHAT DOES YOUR SUPPORT MEAN TO AN ORPHAN?

Your donation towards the **Orphan Fund** provides a child with an **education, medical check-ups and healthy school meals** – but it also does **so much more**.

SECURITY

STABILITY

PROTECTION



A brighter FUTURE

FOOD 4 KIDS

GIVE ANY AMOUNT TO OUR ORPHAN FUND

The Prophet (saw) said,

'The one who cares for an orphan and myself will be together in Paradise like this' – and He (saw) held his two fingers together to illustrate.

[Bukhari]



HOPE SHOP

Many women in developing countries have the skills and enthusiasm to generate an income for themselves yet lack the opportunity to put it into practice. A Hope Shop is designed to empower women to earn a living for themselves and support their families without having to worry about making ends meet.

USE YOUR SADAQAH AND ZAKAT



R11 000

provides a small shop to empower women in need.



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HOPE SHOP
MUSLIM HANDS CANADA



GIVE HOPE, EMPOWER WOMEN



In the last year, you have helped 33-year-old Roqaya to realise her dream of becoming her own boss and providing for her family. As a widowed mother of four, she had no choice but to move in with her mother-in-law Fatibelco in order to ensure her children had food and shelter.

Roqaya's Hope Shop is situated in the middle of a busy market where she sells local goods and pantry staples. The hope shop not only allows her to earn a modest income to support her family, but it gives her a sense of purpose and independence.



R3 000
Gift of Sight

Just being able to see this means you've got an advantage over countless others all over the world. Cataract removals are simple, yet life changing procedures which can restore sight and remove blindness almost instantly.



R500 Fruit Tree

If variety is the spice of life, then these fruit trees are no exception. Planting a fruit tree can provide whole communities with food appropriate to their local diet, bring environmental benefits and providing income as surplus fruit can be sold.

GIVE SADAQAH JARIYAH

The olive tree rarely exceeds 8 metres in height, but packs a whole lot of punch. It can provide food, oil and medicine for hundreds of years. These trees provide the main source of livelihood for over a million Palestinians, helping to sustain generations to come.



R300
Olive Tree

Imagine a lifetime of being confined to your home and dependant on others to move even short distances. Gifting a wheelchair to those who are disabled and elderly means they too can enjoy being mobile and independent.



R2 000
Wheelchair



GIVE A GREAT CHARITY GIFT THIS EID

Great Charity Gifts is an easy way to give a gift to someone in need, in the name of a loved one! Every time someone benefits from the gift, you both gain the reward. Each gift comes with a personalized certificate, with the name of your recipient.

R3 000 Sewing Machine

A sewing machine can provide an entire family with the means to make a living. Together with material and cotton to start up, the gift of a sewing machine will help clothe a family as well as provide them with a secure source of income.

R1 800 Bicycle

A bicycle is an efficient and environmentally friendly way to get from place to place for people living in remote parts of the world. It is suitable for every age too - children for example can use it to get to school while parents can cycle to work.

R400 Four Chickens

These domestic animals are one of the finest gifts you can give as they are low maintenance and each one can lay over 200 eggs a year, providing families with essential protein in their diet. Surplus eggs can be sold to pay for schooling, clothes and medicine.

GIVE LIGHT TO THE DOME OF THE ROCK

The Prophet (saw) was asked, 'If one of us cannot visit it [Masjid Al-Aqsa], what should we do?'

He [the Prophet (saw)] said, 'Then he should make a gift of some oil to be lit therein [in its lamps]. For indeed the one who gifts this to it, will be like the one who has prayed therein [equivalent to one thousand prayers]'.'

[Ahmad]

DID YOU KNOW?

MASJID AL-AQSA

was the direction of the first qiblah (direction of prayer) in Islam



ALHAMDULILLAH, your support for Masjid Al-Aqsa and its people over the last year has been incredible!

This Ramadan, we are delighted to invite you to partake in a once in a lifetime opportunity to illuminate the Dome of the Rock Masjid, which sits in the centre of the Blessed Masjid Al-Aqsa complex.

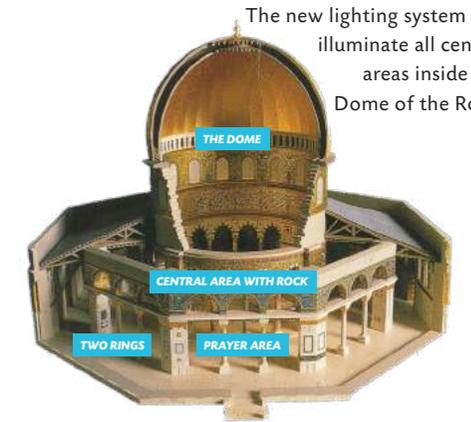


LIGHTING THE PLACE OF ASCENSION

There are only 5,000 lighting shares and over 1,000 have already been donated, **MA SHA' ALLAH**. Make the most of this unique opportunity and help enlighten the exact place where the Prophet (saw) ascended to the heavens on Al-Isra wal-Miraj.



WHAT ARE WE ILLUMINATING?



The new lighting system will illuminate all central areas inside the Dome of the Rock.

R10 000 gives one lighting share to the **Dome of the Rock Masjid**

Or donate **ANY AMOUNT** to the **Dome of the Rock - Lighting Fund**

NEW



Scan to download our free **AL-AQSA HADITH COLLECTION**
muslimhands.org.za



LOCAL REFUGEES

Originally from the Democratic Republic of Congo, Ismail and Zainab ran a successful business in Cape Town but lost everything after a series of unprovoked xenophobic attacks in 2018.



DONATE TO THE LOCAL PROJECTS FUND

and help ensure disadvantaged people living in South Africa have enough food, clothing and clean water as well as access to medical care.



With no other option, they were forced to seek shelter in a makeshift camp, which is home to more than 800 unemployed foreigners.

Living conditions are incredibly unhygienic, there is no electricity during the day, the drinking water is unsafe, and sometimes the family does not eat for several days. This Ramadan, help ensure refugees living in Cape Town, have enough food and clean water to survive the coming winter.



FEEDING SCHEMES

Every year we distribute warm nutritious meals and blankets to more than 1500 vulnerable people living in and around Cape Town. Most cannot afford to buy warm clothes, food, basic hygiene products or electricity and are at risk of contracting hypothermia and pneumonia, which can be deadly.



OUT IN THE COLD

On World AIDS Day, we distributed much-needed food items to 600 HIV sufferers in Cape Town and more than 500 rural villagers in Kimberley. Most of them were young children who were severely undernourished and admitted to not eating a proper meal in a very long time.



LOCAL PROJECTS

More than 50 patients from local old age homes, churches, mosques, and orphanages were selected for a free eye test at the Belmed Medical Centre, in Homestead, Kimberley, and those who required spectacles, were given a pair completely free.



MOTHERKIND

In honour of World Prematurity Day, our teams donated 100 toiletry packs to mothers of premature babies at the Rahima Moosa Mother and Child Hospital in Coronation Ville in Johannesburg. Each pack contained carefully selected items for premature babies such as soaps, creams, tissue rolls, nappies, milk powder and medications and are designed to last the mothers a few months.



PROJECT 4 SIGHT

THE BEST 10 NIGHTS is a tool that ensures you will never miss giving on Laylat al-Qadr again, by automating your donations over the last 10 nights of Ramadan.

The Prophet (saw) said,
**'Look for Laylat al-Qadr
in the last ten nights
of the month of Ramadan'.**

[Bukhari]

**'Laylat al-Qadr
is better than
a thousand months'.**

[The Noble Qur'an, 97:3]

the best 10 NIGHTS

Don't miss Laylat al-Qadr

CHOOSE YOUR CAUSE



1.

Select at least one cause from: Where Most Needed Fund, the Zakat Fund, Water Fund, the Orphans Fund and Iftar Fund.

SPREAD YOUR DONATIONS



2.

Split your Zakat and Sadaqah automatically over the last 10 nights of Ramadan. You can even give more on the odd nights.

PROCESS YOUR PAYMENT



3.

Now sit back and focus on your worship, knowing you won't miss Laylat al-Qadr!

Automate your donations now! Visit muslimhands.org.za/the-best-ten-nights

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