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Preparations to Welcome *Ramadan*  
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أَحْمَدُ لِلَّهِ نَحْمَدُهُ وَنَسْتَعِينُهُ وَنَسْتَغْفِرُهُ. وَنَعُوذُ بِاللَّهِ مِنْ شُرُورِ أَنْفُسِنَا وَمِنْ  
سَيِّئَاتِ أَعْمَالِنَا. مَنْ يَهْدِهِ اللَّهُ فَلَا مُضِلَّ لَهُ وَمَنْ يَضِلَّ فَلَا هَادِيَ لَهُ.  
وَأَشْهَدُ أَنْ لَا إِلَهَ إِلَّا اللَّهُ وَحْدَهُ لَا شَرِيكَ لَهُ، وَأَشْهَدُ أَنَّ سَيِّدَنَا مُحَمَّدًا عَبْدُهُ  
وَرَسُولُهُ.

اللَّهُمَّ صَلِّ وَسَلِّمْ عَلَى سَيِّدِنَا مُحَمَّدٍ وَعَلَى آلِهِ وَأَصْحَابِهِ أَجْمَعِينَ.  
أَمَّا بَعْدُ،

فِيَا عِبَادَ اللَّهِ، اتَّقُوا اللَّهَ وَأَوْصِيكُمْ وَإِيَّايَ بِتَقْوَى اللَّهِ، فَقَدْ فَازَ الْمُتَّقُونَ.

Let us all increase our devotion towards Allah the Almighty by performing all that He has decreed and abstaining from all that He has prohibited. Hopefully, we will be blessed in this world and in the Hereafter.

**Dear Brothers and Sisters,**

We are getting closer to the blessed month of *Ramadan*. Alhamdulillah, all thanks and praise are due to Allah the Almighty as we have been permitted to perform congregational tarawih prayers in mosques throughout the country. Let us follow the practice of the Prophet (Peace be Upon Him [PBUH]) and his companions (may Allah be pleased with them) in preparing for *Ramadan*. Allah the Almighty mentioned in the Quran in Chapter 10 (*Surah Yunus*), verse (ayat)58

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قُلْ بِفَضْلِ اللَّهِ وَبِرَحْمَتِهِ فَبِذَلِكَ فَلْيَفْرَحُوا هُوَ خَيْرٌ مِمَّا يَجْمَعُونَ ﴿٥٨﴾

**Which means:** Say, O Prophet, “In Allah’s grace and mercy let them rejoice. That is far better than whatever wealth they amass.”

**Dear Brothers and Sisters,**

The Prophet(PBUH) and his companions welcomed Ramadan by increasing their acts of worship instead of thinking about preparing special food and drinks. Ibn Rajab al-Hanbali said, “*Salafussoleh (the first three generations of Muslims) increased their recitation of Quran in the month of Shaban so that when Ramadan arrived their souls could be at ease in reciting the Quran.*”

Let us seek knowledge by attending classes in order to increase our understanding about fasting because worship without knowledge will be in vain. We must strive to fulfill this year’s month of *Ramadan* with obedience to Allah the Almighty in hope that it will be better than the previous years. Do not make Covid-19 as an excuse for us to neglect worship during *Ramadan*. Therefore, let us perform twenty *rakaas*(units) of *tarawih* prayer as urged by Imam as-Shafie. May Allah save us all from this calamity as a result of our earnest worship. Take heed the reminder from the Prophet (PBUH) in a *Hadith* which was narrated by Imam al-Bukhari and Imam Muslim:

مَنْ صَامَ رَمَضَانَ إِيمَانًا وَاحْتِسَابًا غُفِرَ لَهُ مَا تَقَدَّمَ مِنْ ذَنْبِهِ

**Which means:** “Whoever fasts in Ramadan out of faith and in the hope of reward, his previous sins will be forgiven.”

In conclusion, let us motivate ourselves to worship as much as we can during the month of *Ramadan* as mentioned in the Quran in Chapter 57 (*Surah Al-Hadid*), verse (*ayat*) 21;

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وَسَارِعُوا إِلَى مَغْفِرَةٍ مِّن رَّبِّكُمْ وَجَنَّةٍ عَرْضُهَا السَّمَاوَاتُ وَالْأَرْضُ

أُعِدَّتْ لِلْمُتَّقِينَ

**Which means:** “So compete with one another for forgiveness from your Lord and a Paradise as vast as the heavens and the earth, prepared for those who believe in Allah and His messengers...”

بَارَكَ اللَّهُ لِي وَلَكُمْ فِي الْقُرْآنِ الْعَظِيمِ، وَنَفَعَنِي وَإِيَّاكُمْ بِمَا فِيهِ مِنَ آيَاتِ وَالذِّكْرِ الْحَكِيمِ،  
وَتَقَبَّلَ مِنِّي وَمِنْكُمْ تِلَاوَتَهُ، إِنَّهُ هُوَ السَّمِيعُ الْعَلِيمُ. أَقُولُ قَوْلِي هَذَا وَأَسْتَغْفِرُ اللَّهَ  
الْعَظِيمَ بِجَوْلِكُمْ، وَلِسَائِرِ الْمُسْلِمِينَ وَالْمُسْلِمَاتِ، وَالْمُؤْمِنِينَ وَالْمُؤْمِنَاتِ، فَاسْتَغْفِرُوهُ إِنَّهُ  
هُوَ الْعَفُورُ الرَّحِيمُ.