# Masjid Ibrahim Prayer Schedule for Austin, Texas –May, 2016

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Day	May	Hijri	Fajr	Sunrise	Dhuhr	Asr	Maghrib	Isha
Sun	1	24/7	5:36	6:47	1:29	5:05	8:09	9:21
Mon	2	25/7	5:35	6:46	1:28	5:05	8:10	9:22
Tue	3	26/7	5:34	6:45	1:28	5:05	8:11	9:23
Wed	4	27/7	5:33	6:44	1:28	5:05	8:11	9:24
Thu	5	28/7	5:32	6:44	1:28	5:05	8:12	9:24
Fri	6	29/7	5:31	6:43	1:28	5:05	8:13	9:25
Sat	7	30/7	5:30	6:42	1:28	5:05	8:13	9:26
Sun	8	1/8	5:29	6:41	1:28	5:05	8:14	9:27
Mon	9	2/8	5:28	6:41	1:28	5:05	8:15	9:28
Tue	10	3/8	5:27	6:40	1:28	5:05	8:15	9:29
Wed	11	4/8	5:26	6:39	1:28	5:05	8:16	9:30
Thu	12	5/8	5:25	6:38	1:28	5:05	8:17	9:30
Fri	13	6/8	5:24	6:38	1:28	5:05	8:17	9:31
Sat	14	7/8	5:24	6:38	1:28	5:05	8:17	9:31
Sun	15	8/8	5:24	6:37	1:28	5:05	8:18	9:32
Mon	16	9/8	5:22	6:36	1:28	5:05	8:19	9:34
Tue	17	10/8	5:21	6:35	1:28	5:05	8:20	9:35
Wed	18	11/8	5:21	6:35	1:28	5:05	8:20	9:35
Thu	19	12/8	5:20	6:34	1:28	5:05	8:21	9:36
Fri	20	13/8	5:19	6:34	1:28	5:05	8:22	9:37
Sat	21	14/8	5:19	6:33	1:28	5:05	8:22	9:38
Sun	22	15/8	5:18	6:33	1:28	5:05	8:23	9:39
Mon	23	16/8	5:17	6:32	1:28	5:05	8:24	9:39
Tue	24	17/8	5:17	6:32	1:28	5:05	8:24	9:40
Wed	25	18/8	5:16	6:32	1:29	5:05	8:25	9:41
Thu	26	19/8	5:16	6:31	1:29	5:05	8:25	9:42
Fri	27	20/8	5:15	6:31	1:29	5:05	8:26	9:42
Sat	28	21/8	5:15	6:31	1:29	5:05	8:26	9:43
Sun	29	22/8	5:15	6:31	1:29	5:05	8:26	9:43
Mon	30	23/8	5:14	6:30	1:29	5:05	8:27	9:44
Tue	31	24/8	5:13	6:30	1:29	5:06	8:28	9:45

Upcoming Programs

Friday, May 13<sup>th</sup>: Seerah lecture for youth: The digging of

Saturday, May 28<sup>th</sup>: BBQ lunch for community, we need

volunteers and participants to enjoy this day of food and fun

Zamzam and the Prophet's family

inshaAllaah. Keep the date free.

# Ramadaan - Virtues from the authentic Sunnah...

## Ramadaan is the month of Quran:

Allaah says in Sura Al-Baqarah (2: 185)

The month of Ramadaan in which was sent down the Quran, as a guide to mankind, clear proofs for the guidance and the criterion.

It is the month when the Prophet (Sallallaahu alayhi wa sallam) used to be busy reviewing and reciting and learning the Quran from his teacher angel Jibreel ('alayhis salaam). So, Ramadaan is the month of the revelation, the month of Quran.

It is the moth of obligatory fasting: Allaah (Ta'aalaa) says (Sura Al-Baqara, vserse 185):

Whoever witnesses the month, he must observe fasting.

From the hadith of Talhah Ibn Ubaydillaah we know that once a bedouin with unkempt hair came to the Prophet (Sallallaahu 'alayhi wa sallam) and said: Inform me what Allaah has made obligatory from the obligatory fasting. The Prophet (Sallallaahu 'alayhi wa sallam) said: The month of Ramadaan except that you want to fast more...

#### Ramadan is the month of Charity:

Ibn 'Abbas (radiallaahu 'anhu) reported that the Prophet (Sallallaahu 'alayhi wa sallam) was the most generous of all. But he used to be more generous in the month of Ramadaan. [Bukhari]

There is no special reward for charity in Ramadaan as there is no authentic proof for this. There are some weak narrations that refer to this fact but they should not be regarded as evidence. However, we know the general rewards of charity and also the general reward of reviving the sunnah of the Prophet (Sallallaahu 'alayhi wa sallam). So, we should revive the sunnah of being more generous in Ramadaan and hope the reward from Allaah.

## Ramadaan is the month of Qiyam:

It is a month we should continue to establish the obligatory five time prayers. However, the qiyam-al-layl during Ramadaan has a special reward. This prayer is known as taraweeh prayer when it is prayed in the Ramadaan in jama'aah prayer. It is called witr because it is odd. it is called tahajjud when it is prayed in the depth of the night. The prophet (Sallallaahu 'alayhi wa sallam) said: The one who prays (i.e. Qiyam al-layl) with eemaan and ihtisaab in Ramadaan, Allaah will forgive his past sins. [Saheeh Al-Bukhari, narrator: Abu Hurayrah]

## Ramadaan is the month of Patience:

The Prophet (Salallaahu 'alayhi wa sallam) called this month "Shahru Sabr" (i.e. the month of patience): It is very true that this month teaches us to be patient. He (Sallallaahu 'alayhi wa sallam) said: Fasting the month of Sabr and three days of each month will remove the "Wahar" of the chest ( Wahar means hatred, jealousy, anger and diseases of the heart) [see Saheeh Al-Jamee' 3804]

Services during Ramadaan: Iftar, last ten days I'tiqaaf, taraweeh prayer and some competitions inshaAllaah... Imam's Contact info: 512-783-6924.

## News Flash

- Raised \$25k for loan payment, we need the pledges to be fulfilled as soon as possible.
- Masjid Loans are due and the generous donation will enable us to pay back the loan.
- Successfully completing weekend school coaching center for Spring. Last day of class: Sunday, May 15<sup>th</sup>
- YMA is finishing this school year and gearing for a successful future year inshaAllaah.

#### **Igaamah Timings** (changes initiate Fridays) Please consult Sh Omer and brother Shamsuddin (512-554-6646) if you have any issues with the prayer timings

Day	Fajr	Dhuhr	Asr	Magh	Ishaa
May 6	5:50 am	2:00	5:30	+5 min	9:35 pm
May 13	5:45 am	2:00	5:30	+5 min	9:40 pm
May 20	5:40 am	2:00	5:30	+5 min	9:50 pm
May 27	5:35 am	2:00	5:30	+5 min	10:00 pm