

بِسْمِ اللّٰهِ الرَّحْمٰنِ الرَّحِیْمِ

The Amīr/National President  
Jamā‘at Ahmadiyya,

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Dear Brother,

السلام علیکم ورحمة اللہ وبرکاتہ

On 9<sup>th</sup> March 2012, Hadrat Khalīfatul Masīh V ایده اللہ تعالیٰ delivered the Friday Sermon at Baitul Futūh Mosque, London.

Hudur ایده اللہ تعالیٰ said: Allāh’s Messengers come to this world to draw mankind closer to God, to make them His true worshippers and to lead them up to the path of His guidance. The Messenger who came with the most perfect and complete teaching was our lord and master, the Holy Prophet Muhammad صلی اللہ علیہ وسلم. He alone spread the message of God as it ought to be spread.

Hudur ایده اللہ تعالیٰ said: In this age the Promised Messiah علیہ السلام has come to call people towards God and to show them the means of His cognition. He said that Islām alone is the religion that can lead to God and he invited all people to embrace this faith. The Promised Messiah علیہ السلام says, “Since Islām is the last and final religion, God has so ordained that it should never become dry. And to this end He sends his chosen ones at different places and different times to keep it fresh and verdant. In this age He has sent me for this purpose.”

Hudur ایده اللہ تعالیٰ said: Today we must associate ourselves with the Promised Messiah علیہ السلام if we are to become living branches of the tree of Islām. A living relationship with God is only possible through the Promised Messiah علیہ السلام. He علیہ السلام spread the beautiful teachings of Islām not only in India but in other countries as well, and this was the spirit with which he inspired his Companions. Those who joined the Promised Messiah علیہ السلام hailed from every section of society: there were poor labourers, farmers, land-owners, unlettered villagers, office-workers, traders and intellectuals; they understood his message, absorbed it according to their capability and tried to spread it all over the world. Hudur ایده اللہ تعالیٰ related some incidents which reflected on their zeal for Da‘wat Ilallāh.

Hudur ایده اللہ تعالیٰ said: Today Allāh is enabling us not only to spread the message through books and literature, but also in different languages through MTA. MTA is being broadcast round the globe. In India where large dish antennas were required, MTA can now be accessed with small antennas.

Hudur ایده اللہ تعالیٰ said: The Jama‘at’s campaign to spread leaflets in many countries is urging people want to know more about our message. This is a valuable opportunity for Da‘wat Ilallāh and for establishing new contacts. Hudur ایده اللہ تعالیٰ said: Three new mosques have recently been

inaugurated in the UK and another three are due to be inaugurated within the next month. This will also open up new avenues for Da'wat Ilallāh and should be used for making new contacts and spreading our message in the surroundings.

Hudur ايدہ اللہ تعالیٰ said: May Allāh bless the Companions of the Promised Messiah عليه السلام who spread his message to countless people and the fruits of whose efforts we are enjoying today. We should be grateful to them not only by praying for them but also by attaching ourselves firmly with the Jama'at and further spread its message.

At the end of the sermon, Hudur ايدہ اللہ تعالیٰ informed the Jama'at of the tragic martyrdom of Maqsood Ahmad Sahib son of Muhammad Idris Sahib of Karundi, District Khairpur, who was currently residing in Rabwah. Hudur ايدہ اللہ تعالیٰ also spoke of the sad demise of Hajrah Begum, wife of Mistri Muhammad Hussain Darwaish, of Qādiān and led the *namaz janazah ghaib* of the deceased after the Jumu'a prayers.

Please convey these guidelines given by Hudūr ايدہ اللہ تعالیٰ to members of your Jamā'at.

Jazākumullāh.

Wassalām,

(Ch. Hameedullah)

Wakīl A'lā,

Tahrīk Jadīd Anjuman Ahmadiyya Pakistan,

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