

بِسْمِ اللّٰهِ الرَّحْمٰنِ الرَّحِیْمِ

The Amīr/National President
Jamā‘at Aḥmadīyya,

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Dear Brother,

السلام علیکم ورحمة اللہ وبرکاتہ

Ḥuzoor (May Allāh be his Helper) said: The Promised Messiah عليه السلام published numerous announcements, which shed light on his sympathy for mankind and his concern for the reformation of the world.

Ḥuzoor (May Allāh be his Helper) said: For Islām to prevail, we will have to reform our morals, show submission to the Almighty God, make sacrifices, and enhance our spirituality.

Ḥuzoor (May Allāh be his Helper) said: God never left us alone in the past, nor will He ever do so in the future, provided we continue to sincerely hold on to Him.

On 27 March 2015, Ḥazrat Khalīfatul-Masīḥ V (May Allāh be his Helper) delivered the Friday Sermon at the Baitul Futūh Mosque, Morden, London.

Ḥuzoor (May Allāh be his Helper) said: One of the five branches described by the Promised Messiah عليه السلام as essential for the fulfilment of the purpose of his advent is the publication of announcements. From the time he made his claim to the day he died, he published numerous announcements, which constitute a unique treasure for the religious world. He undertook this momentous task all alone. The announcements he published shed light on his sympathy for mankind and his concern for the reformation of the world. Now, it is the duty of the Jamā‘at to show the same passion and vigour for the achievement of this blessed purpose.

During the time of the Promised Messiah عليه السلام, the announcements were a major means of Tablīgh; hence they were published in large numbers. At that time, to publish even two thousand copies of an announcement was considered a huge success. However, now we have to publish no less than two to three hundred thousand copies of an announcement to attract attention. Some Jamā‘ats followed this advice, and their efforts proved greatly fruitful.

Ḥuzoor (May Allāh be his Helper) quoted some extracts from the writings of Ḥazrat Muṣleh Mau‘ūd (May Allāh be pleased with him) who said: The Promised Messiah divided his followers into three categories and said: The means of worldly progress are different from the means of spiritual progress. To make spiritual progress, one has to rectify one’s morals, inculcate the spirit of sacrifice, and offer Prayer, so that one progresses spiritually. Also, one should observe fasting, put reliance wholly in God and show absolute submission and obedience to Him. We will never be able to achieve the success promised to us by the Promised Messiah عليه السلام if we tell lies when needed and if we indulge in deception, trickery, deceit, and backbiting and behave spitefully. For this reason, each and every Aḥmadī is required to improve the standards of his honesty and spirituality.

Ḥuzoor (May Allāh be his Helper) related a few incidents as explained by Ḥazrat Muṣleh Mau‘ūd (May Allāh be pleased with him) regarding the blessed life of the Promised Messiah and the early days of the Jamā‘at. Ḥazrat Muṣleh Mau‘ūd (May Allāh be pleased with him) said: Each morning would bring fresh trials and responsibilities and each night would do the same; however, the soothing breeze of Divine succour would eliminate all worries as if they were no more than a piece of straw or speck of dust. The dark clouds that threatened to destroy the very foundations of the [Jamā‘at] would soon transform into clouds of Allāh’s grace and mercy.

Ḥuzoor (May Allāh be his Helper) said: Even though Aḥmadīs are financially tight in some countries but their condition is not as miserable as before, they are much better off and by the grace of Allāh, the situation has changed a lot for them in every respect. Aḥmadīyyat has reached every corner of the world and by the grace of Allāh things are further improving for the Jamā‘at. Even if there are difficulties at times, the words of the Almighty God give us support and comfort. God never left us alone in the past, nor will He ever do so in the future, provided we continue to sincerely hold on to Him. Each sacrifice that we make opens up a new avenue for us of Allāh’s grace.

Ḥuzoor (May Allāh be his Helper) related two incidents as explained by Ḥazrat Muṣleh Mau‘ūd (May Allāh be pleased with him) regarding how God protected and loved the Promised Messiah عليه السلام. The Promised Messiah عليه السلام said: The purpose for which God has appointed me is to remove the malaise afflicting the relationship

between God and His creation and to replace it with love and sincerity and to sow once again the everlasting sapling of the resplendent Unity of the Almighty God.

Next, Ҳuzoor (May Allāh be his Helper) announced the martyrdom of Noman Ahmad Anjum Şāhib of Rifah-e-‘Ām Karachi, and the sad demise of Farooq Aḥmad Khan Şāhib, Nā’ib Amīr District Peshawar. Ҳuzoor (May Allāh be his Helper) spoke of their services for the Jamā‘at and announced that he would lead their funeral prayer in absentia after the Juma Prayer.

Please convey these guidelines given by Ҳuzoor, may Allah be his Helper, to members of your Jamā‘at.

Jazākumullāh.

Wassalām,

(Chaudhry Hameedullah)

Wakīl A‘lā,

Tahrīk Jadīd Anjuman Aḥmadīyya Pakistan

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