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Love for all
Hatred for none

Majlis Khuddamul Ahmadiyya Birmingham East Qiadat Newsletter

The Holy Qur'an

And assuredly, We have created man and We know what his *physical* self whispers to him, and We are nearer to him than even his jugular vein.

50:17

Hadith

Saying of the Holy Prophet^{saw}

God Almighty says: "I am close to the thoughts of my servant, and I am with him whenever he remembers Me...If my servant comes closer to me by one span, I go towards him a cubit's length; if he comes to Me a cubit's length, I go towards him an arm's length; and if he walks towards me, I run towards him."

Hadith Qudsi

Writings of the Promised Messiah^{as}

...He is such that He is far, yet also very near, and whilst He is near, He is also very far. Although He is One and absolutely Unique, His manifestations are diverse and multifarious...

Kishti-e-Nuh

Friday Sermons of Hadhrat Khalifatul Masih^{atba}

During his Friday Sermon, Huzur^{atba} said:



The Promised Messiah (on whom be peace) has drawn a lot of attention in his pronouncements and writings that the true spirit of Ahmadiyyat can only be sustained when we continue to self-reflect and when there is no conflict between our word and deed. He said that he had repeatedly mentioned that as regards appearances, Ahmadis and the other Muslims are the same. They are the same in terms of being called Muslim, in saying the *Kalima* and in following the Qur'an. As such they are the same in making these claims, but God is not merely pleased with claims. He added, 'unless a claim is accompanied with reality and in corroboration of the claim there is practical evidence and testimony of a change in condition. For this, often times, I am deeply saddened by this grief.'

Friday 22nd April, 2011

Extract from summary taken from www.alislam.org

For a full summary of this sermon as well as the full video, please visit:

<http://www.alislam.org/friday-sermon/>

NEWS

HEADLINES

- ❖ Two Khuddam and two Atfal from Birmingham East took part in a collection at Birmingham New Street Station and helped raise £248.88 for Barnardo's!
- ❖ Inter-Qiadat Football: MKA Birmingham East defeated MKA Birmingham West 7-1!
- ❖ New push to increase leaflet campaign – spreading the message of peace!
- ❖ MKA Midlands gets ready to host the MKA Charity Challenge in Leamington Spa on Sunday 8th May!



For more information and previous issues of the newsletter, please visit <http://www.khuddam.org.uk/regions/midlands/birmingham-east/>

Events coming up in May 2011

EVENT	DETAILS WHO SHOULD ATTEND	LOCATION DATE & TIME
General Meeting (featuring Tabligh Training Session)	Monthly meeting & special interactive Tabligh Training Session (refreshments will be provided) All Birmingham East Jama'at members	Darul Barakaat Sunday 1st May 2011, 3.00pm
Local Council elections & AV Referendum	Elections for local councils and also a referendum on the <i>Alternative Vote</i> system (to replace the current voting system) All eligible voters	<i>Check your polling card for your local polling station</i> Thursday 5th May
MKA Charity Challenge 2011	Annual 10km charity walk – hosted by Midlands this year All Birmingham East Jama'at members	Leamington Spa Sunday 8th May 2011*

* Exact time to be confirmed (please check your e-mails and text messages regularly for confirmed dates and times)

"A nation cannot be reformed without first reforming its youth."

Hadhrat Khalifatul Masih II^{ra}

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