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## The Monthly Qiadat Newsletter of Majlis Khuddamul Ahmadiyya Edinburgh

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### Holy Qur'an:

*Surely, nothing in the earth or in the heaven is hidden from Allah (Ch. 3: V. 6)*

### Sayings of the Holy Prophet (saw):

*Shaddad ibn Aus (ra) relates that the Holy Prophet (saw) said: A wise person is one who watches over himself and restrains himself from that which is harmful and strives for that which will confront him after death; and a foolish one is he who gives rein to his cravings and seeks from Allah the fulfilment of his vain desires (Tirmidhi).*

### Writings of the Promised Messiah (as):

*When a man in grave difficulty falls down in prayer with perfect certainty, perfect hope, perfect fidelity, and perfect resolve; and when he becomes perfectly alert and advances far into the field of self-annihilation, tearing aside all veils of heedlessness, lo and behold, he finds before him the Divine threshold, and he perceives that God has no associate. His soul then prostrates itself at the Divine threshold and the power of attraction that is invested in him draws the bounties of God Almighty towards him. It is then that the Glorious God attends to the fulfilment of the desired objective, and casts the effect of the prayer on all the preliminary means, which, in turn, produce the means that are essential for the achievement of the objective. (Blessings of Prayer, 15-17.)*

### Selection from Friday sermon Delivered by Hadhrat Mirza Masroor Ahmad<sup>atba</sup>, Supreme Head of the Ahmadiyya Muslim Community, January 01, 2010

We are welcoming this year by livening our nights with worship whereas those who are not believers and who are not aware of the significance of Friday spend the first few hours of a New Year in idle amusements, revelry and alcohol consumption. We are fortunate that we are from the ummah of the Holy Prophet (peace and blessings of Allah be on him) who was an embodiment of *nur* (light) and who showed us the ways of attaining pleasure of God, so beloved was he to God that God declared His love for those who followed him with sincerity.

Huzur said today God has given us an opportunity to adorn the very first day of the year with prayers. Pray for yourself, for your family, for Ahmadiyyat, the true Islam. Pray for the environment, for the society and your country. With the grace of God today Tahajjud Prayers were offered in our mosques. This enthusiasm should be a constant. May each step of ours enhance us in taqwa and may our effort of the first day of the year prevail over the rest of 365 days.

Mankind cannot ever adequately thank God. The only way is to continually turn to Him in thankfulness. God has taught true believers a prayer in this regard; ‘...**Our Lord, grant us good in this world as well as good in the world to come, and protect us from the torment of the Fire.**’(2:202).

Huzur prayed that may God always grant us good in this world and also in the Hereafter and save us from the torment of the Hereafter. May He enable us to tread the paths of virtues. May the New Year and every year to come keep the Community and the people of the Community safe from all kinds of pain and difficulties and bring us good. May we practice taqwa in the true sense and be enabled to attain a measure of the *nur* that the Holy Prophet (peace and blessings of Allah be on him) brought.

Friday Sermon extract taken from alislam.org: full text: [www.alislam.org/friday-sermon/2010-01-01.html](http://www.alislam.org/friday-sermon/2010-01-01.html)

## Qiadat News

Alhamdulillah, in line with charity initiative by Majlis Khuddamul Ahmadiyya, UK, last month, Edinburgh Qiadat was able to raise over £500 through bag



packing from shoppers at Morrison (Dundee) which was donated to Save the children charity.



A team of 9 khuddam who gathered from Aberdeen and Dundee Headed by local Qaid, started the charity collection at 12pm which lasted for about three hours.

## Upcoming Events

Local Events	Who Should Attend	Location	Date & Time
Tarbiyyat & Ta'leem Class	Khuddam	Salaat Centre, Dundee	Every Wednesday starting 8:00pm
Jammat General meeting	All Khuddam and Atfal	Edinburgh city	Sunday January 8, 2012
Local Ijtima	All Khuddam and Atfal	Edinburgh Sports Academy	Sunday, January 29, 2012 at 10:00am
Regional/National Events	Who Should Attend	Location	Date & Time
Office Bearers Forum (Scotland)	All Amila members	Bait-ur-Rahman Mosque, Glasgow	Sunday, January 08, 2012

*“A nation cannot be reformed without first reforming its youth.”*

(Hadhrrat Khalifatul Masih II <sup>ra</sup>)