



MASJID BIN BAZ, EAST ROAD, STRATFORD, LONDON E15 3QR

SHA'BAN 1438 | MAY 2017

APPROXIMATE PRAYER START TIMES

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER TIMES

Day	Sha'ban	May	Fajr Start	Fajr Jamaa'ah	Sunrise	Dhuhr Start	Dhuhr Jamaa'ah	'Asr Start	'Asr Jamaa'ah	Maghrib Jamaa'ah	'Ishaa Start	'Ishaa Jamaa'ah
Mon	4	1	3:57	4:15	5:33	12:58	1:30	5:01	5:30	8:24	10:01	10:30
Tue	5	2	3:55	4:15	5:31	12:58	1:30	5:01	5:30	8:26	10:03	10:30
Wed	6	3	3:53	4:15	5:28	12:57	1:30	5:02	5:30	8:28	10:05	10:30
Thu	7	4	3:50	4:15	5:26	12:57	1:30	5:02	5:30	8:30	10:07	10:30
Fri	8	5	3:48	4:15	5:24	12:57	1:15	5:02	5:30	8:32	10:09	10:30
Sat	9	6	3:47	4:15	5:22	12:57	1:30	5:03	5:30	8:34	10:11	10:30
Sun	10	7	3:46	4:05	5:19	12:57	1:30	5:04	5:30	8:35	10:12	10:30
Mon	11	8	3:43	4:05	5:17	12:57	1:30	5:05	5:30	8:36	10:13	10:30
Tue	12	9	3:41	4:05	5:15	12:57	1:30	5:06	5:30	8:38	10:15	10:30
Wed	13	10	3:39	4:05	5:13	12:57	1:30	5:07	5:30	8:39	10:16	10:30
Thu	14	11	3:37	4:05	5:12	12:57	1:30	5:07	5:30	8:41	10:18	10:30
Fri	15	12	3:36	4:05	5:10	12:57	1:15	5:08	5:30	8:43	10:20	10:30
Sat	16	13	3:34	4:05	5:08	12:57	1:30	5:09	5:30	8:44	10:21	10:30
Sun	17	14	3:33	3:50	5:06	12:57	1:30	5:09	5:30	8:46	10:23	10:40
Mon	18	15	3:31	3:50	5:05	12:57	1:30	5:10	5:30	8:48	10:25	10:40
Tue	19	16	3:30	3:50	5:04	12:57	1:30	5:10	5:30	8:49	10:26	10:40
Wed	20	17	3:28	3:50	5:03	12:57	1:30	5:11	5:30	8:51	10:28	10:40
Thu	21	18	3:26	3:50	5:02	12:57	1:30	5:12	5:30	8:52	10:29	10:40
Fri	22	19	3:25	3:50	5:00	12:57	1:15	5:12	5:30	8:54	10:31	10:40
Sat	23	20	3:23	3:50	4:59	12:57	1:30	5:13	5:30	8:55	10:32	10:40
Sun	24	21	3:22	3:40	4:58	12:57	1:30	5:13	5:45	8:57	10:34	10:50
Mon	25	22	3:20	3:40	4:56	12:57	1:30	5:14	5:45	8:58	10:35	10:50
Tue	26	23	3:19	3:40	4:55	12:57	1:30	5:15	5:45	8:59	10:36	10:50
Wed	27	24	3:18	3:40	4:54	12:57	1:30	5:15	5:45	9:01	10:38	10:50
Thu	28	25	3:17	3:40	4:52	12:58	1:30	5:16	5:45	9:02	10:39	10:50
Fri	29	26	3:15	3:40	4:51	12:58	1:15	5:16	5:45	9:04	10:41	10:50
Sat	1	27	3:14	3:40	4:49	12:58	1:30	5:17	5:45	9:05	10:42	10:50
Sun	2	28	3:13	3:30	4:48	12:58	1:30	5:17	5:45	9:06	10:43	11:00
Mon	3	29	3:11	3:30	4:47	12:58	1:30	5:18	5:45	9:07	10:44	11:00
Tue	4	30	3:09	3:30	4:46	12:58	1:30	5:18	5:45	9:09	10:46	11:00
Wed	5	31	3:07	3:30	4:44	12:58	1:30	5:19	5:45	9:10	10:47	11:00

The beginning and the end of Ramadhan is determined by the sighting of the moon. The Prophetic revealed texts clearly show that the rulings connected with the prayer times are determined by seeing with the naked eye. It is not correct that one should overburden oneself by meticulously following timetables based upon astronomical calculations. The Companions of Allah's Messenger, may Allah be pleased with them all, used to determine the beginning of the fasting day and its end by looking with the naked eye.

No timetable anywhere in the world should be relied upon completely in judging the beginning of *Fajr* (i.e. the start of the fast) or the beginning of *Maghrib* (i.e. the end of the fast). One stops eating at the onset of *Fajr*, which is determined by looking towards the night sky – and if one sees a horizontally spreading light across the horizon and roof tops that spreads across the skyline, then he stops eating and prepares for the prayer. Also one should hasten to break the fast once the sun has completely set and not worry about the bright redness in the horizon.