

## **Islam Practices**

### **1. Shahadah**

**Sunni: *'There is no God but Allah and Muhammad is the Prophet of Allah.'***

**Shi'a: *'There is no God but Allah and Muhammad is the Prophet of Allah and Ali is the friend of God.'***

### **2. Salah**

***'Indeed, those who believe and do righteous deeds and establish prayer and give zakah will have their reward with their Lord.'* Qur'an 2:277**

***'So glorify Allah when you reach the evening and when you reach the morning.'* Qur'an 30:17**

### **3. Sawm**

***'It was in the month of Ramadan that the Qur'an was revealed as guidance for mankind...So any of you who sees that month should fast.'* Qur'an 2:185**

### **4. Zakah**

***'Be steadfast in prayer and giving.'* Qur'an 2:110**

***'And those who hoard gold and silver and spend it not in the way of Allah- give them tidings of a painful punishment.'* Qur'an 9:34-35**

### **5. Hajj**

***'Pilgrimage to the House is a duty owed to God by people who are able to undertake it.'* Qur'an 3:97**

### **6. Jihad**

**Greater Jihad: *'...this is My path, leading straight, so follow it, and do not follow other ways'* Qur'an 6:153**

**Lesser Jihad: *'Repeal evil with what is seen as better, then your enemy will become your friend.'* Qur'an 41:34**

### **7. Id-ul-Fitr**

***"O you who believe, fasting is prescribed for you, as it was prescribed for those before you, so that you may guard against evil."* Qur'an 2:183**

***'Verily it is only a festival for he whose fast Allah has accepted and whose prayers he has acknowledged...'* Imam Ali**

## **8. Id-ul-Adha**

***'Who can be better in religion than one who submits his whole self to God, does good and follows the way of Abraham, the true in Faith? For God did take Abraham for a friend'***

**Quran 4:125**

***'O my son, I have seen in a dream that I should sacrifice you'*** Qur'an 37:100

## **9. Festival of Ashura**

***'Whoever makes a pilgrimage to the holy shrine of Imam Hussain...is like the one who visits God at his throne.'*** Imam Reza

***'Hussain is from me and I am from Hussain.'*** Prophet Muhammad