

Summarised Friday Sermon

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DEVELOPING A COMMUNITY THAT STRIVES AGAINST WRONG

- In this modern world, we are exposed to various new trends in thinking and social behaviour, that may impact on our faith.
- But we may still ask, how do we practice *nahi munkar* in our contemporary context.
- Firstly: We must be able to distinguish the right from wrong, and we cannot let wrong prevail before us.
- Secondly: We must take preventive steps and measures to avoid wrong from happening. We should not just be reactive.
- Thirdly: We should choose the most appropriate time, place and approach to offer advice. We must be smart to adopt an approach which is most relevant to the age and background of the individual we want to advice.
- Hopefully, when we practice *amar ma`ruf* and *nahi mungkar*, we will be able to assist ourselves, our families and our beloved community to overcome complex social challenges, and we can improve on the quality of our lives in this world and the hereafter Amin.



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