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## 2017 National Ijtima Attendance Goal

Faheem Younus Qureshi, Sadr Majlis



Dear Ansar Brothers,  
As-Salamu 'Alaikum Wa Rahmatullah

I would like to invite all of you—the honorable guests of the Promised Messiah (alaihissalam)—to the National Ijtima of Majlis Ansarullah, USA to be held at Baitur Rahman Mosque, Silver Spring, MD on September 22-24, 2017, Insha'allah.

This year, Hazrat Khalifatul-Masih V (may Allah be his helper) has graciously approved our request to send a Center's representative from U.K.

Our goal and our prayer is to have over 1424 brothers attend this year's Ijtima. All Zu'ama, Nazimin A'la, and national Amila members participated in deciding this goal. The reason you don't see a round number as our goal is this: it came straight from the Holy Qur'an. Chapter 14, verse 24 (hence 1424 became our goal).

*"And those who believe and do good works will be admitted into Gardens through which rivers flow, wherein they will abide by the command of their Lord. Their greeting therein will be 'Peace'."* (The Holy Qur'an, 14:24)

Please register yourself [here](#). The names of first 500 registrants will be sent to Huzoor for prayers. A draft Ijtima program and info about hotels/travel subsidy is available [here](#).

I look forward to meeting all of you on September 22 as we welcome Huzoor's representative at our Ijtima this year.

May Almighty Allah grant you long, healthy, and productive lives and may He accept all your sacrifices. May He grant you and your loved ones His nearness, Ameen.

Faheem Younus Qureshi  
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## Ijtima Accommodation Options

Ijtima participants have three accommodation options available to them:

1. *Stay at a brother's home:* Let us know in advance and we will arrange your accommodation at another brother's house within driving distance of the mosque.
2. *Stay at the mosque:* Limited number of sleeping bags are available for members flying in for the Ijtima. Do bring your own pillow, blanket, toiletries, towel, etc.
3. *Stay at a hotel:* See hotels accommodation details below.

### Hotel Accommodation:

There are two hotels available this year:

#### 1. Courtyard Marriott Silver Spring North

Address: 12521 Prosperity Dr, Silver Spring, MD 20904  
Phone:(301) 680-8500 or (800) 321-2211

Guests should call directly to Marriott Reservations on or before Friday, September 1, 2017 (the "Cut Off" Date) to make their sleeping room reservations.

Reservation code: Ansar Room Block  
Room Rate: \$81 per night  
Rooms are available starting Thursday, Sept 22

\*\*Room rate does not include breakfast\*\*  
\*Complimentary on-site parking and wireless internet\*

All reservations must be guaranteed with a major credit card. The hotel will not hold any reservations unless secured by credit card.

#### 2. Residence Inn Silver Spring

Address: 12000 Plum Orchard Dr, Silver Spring, MD 20904  
Phone:(301) 572-2322 or (800) 331-3131

Guests should call directly to Residence Inn on or before Friday, September 1, 2017 (the "Cut Off" Date) to make their sleeping room reservations

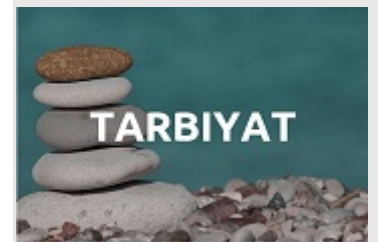
Reservation code: Ansar Room Block  
Room Rate: \$91 per night  
Rooms are available starting Thursday, Sept 22

\*\*Room rate includes breakfast\*\*  
\*Complimentary on-site parking and wireless internet\*

All reservations must be guaranteed with a major credit card. The hotel will not hold any reservations unless secured by credit card.

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