



Al-Madeenah Islamic Society

QURBANI REPORT

2024

Eradicate Poverty

Educate people

Empower communities

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OUR FOUNDER



Al-Madeenah Islamic Society was established from humble beginnings on 1st July 1972, by **Hadhrat Maulana Ashraf Ali Sikder** رحمه الله عليه. He established a Masjid out of tin shed, leaves and branches that could accommodate approximately 28 worshippers.

Alhamdulillah, through the will of Allah SWT and the generous donations of well-wishers, we have been able to establish a Masjid and Madrasah that can accommodate more than 500 people.

We operate mainly in Southern region of Bangladesh, near the Bay of Bengal. The aim is to provide Islamic education, spiritual guidance and humanitarian provisions to the poor people in local community.

I pray that Allah SWT accepts our founder's efforts, our past, present and future projects and that of all the generous donors till the day of judgement In Shā Allāh. Ameen

ABOUT US

Al-Madeenah Islamic Society, a UK registered charity and non-governmental organisation, based in the city of Bradford, provides humanitarian and welfare services to the disadvantaged individuals and communities primarily in the southern regions of Bangladesh such as Patuakhali and Barisal districts.

The charity was founded by the renowned scholar, Imam and social activist, **Hadhrat Maulana Ashraf Ali Sikder** رحمه الله عليه. His charitable works started in the 80's as he was concerned about the lack of presence and aid from international charities in these deprived regions. As the main mode of transport was by sea, it was logistically impossible for charities to operate and deliver aid efficiently.

Therefore over the last 35 years, we have been operating in poverty-stricken parts of southern Bangladesh by delivering aid and helping thousands of deprived individuals with livelihood, healthcare and educational programmes.



MESSAGE FROM OUR OUR CHAIRMAN



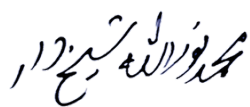
It is with immense gratitude and a heart full of appreciation that I write to express our sincerest thanks for your generous Qurbani donation to Al-Madeenah Islamic Society.

The last 18 months has been a difficult period for us primarily due to the passing of the charity's founder, our beloved father, **Hadhrat Mawlānā Sheikh Ashraf Ali Sikder** (رحمة الله عليه).

Your commitment to our cause has had a profound impact, not only on our organisation but also on the countless lives we touch through our programs and initiatives. Your contribution allows us to continue our mission to **eradicate** poverty, **educate** individuals and **empower** them to help others.

It's supporters like you who enable us to pursue our vision and create positive change in our community. Your generosity serves as a beacon of hope and a testament to the kindness that exists in the world.

Jazākallāh Khair



Mufti Muhammad Nurullah Shikder
Chairman, Al-Madeenah Islamic Society

OUR VISION

Our Vision is to **Eradicate** poverty, **Educate** individuals and **Empower** them to help others.

OUR MISSION

Our mission is to relieve poverty in the most poorest parts of Bangladesh especially in the southern region.

01.

Our objective is to **eradicate** poverty by offering provisions to increase the quality of life.

02.

Our aim is to **educate** individuals by providing religious and secular education and training.

03.

Our goal is to **empower** others by adopting our values and helping others in need.









OUR VALUES

Our Core Values



I K H L A S

Our organisational culture is based on Ikhlas (Sincerity)

 <p>Integrity</p> <p>Everything we do is done with integrity, honesty, transparency and ethically.</p>	 <p>Kindness</p> <p>We believe in demonstrating empathy and compassion with others through our actions.</p>	 <p>Humility</p> <p>Putting the needs of others before our own. Being humble in our actions creates an open mind and recognition of the strengths of oneself and others.</p>
 <p>Leadership</p> <p>We believe in leading by example helps to motivate others to see our vision and empower them to do the best in everything.</p>	 <p>Accountability</p> <p>Not only are we accountable to our stakeholder, but ultimately to Allah therefore we are committed to operate within the principles of Shari'ah.</p>	 <p>Sincerity</p> <p>Our most important value of Sincerity encompasses all our core values; Integrity, Kindness, Humility, Leadership and Accountability. Everything we aim to do is for the sole pleasure of Allah.</p>

OUR TEAM

From visionary leaders to dedicated problem solvers, we are a team of professionals who are passionate about making a positive impact on communities.



Mufti Nurullah Shikder
Chairman



Maulana Rahmatullah
Finance Manager



Maulana Abdullah
Marketing Lead



Muhammad Rabbani
Fundraising Manager



Abdul Majid
Project Manager

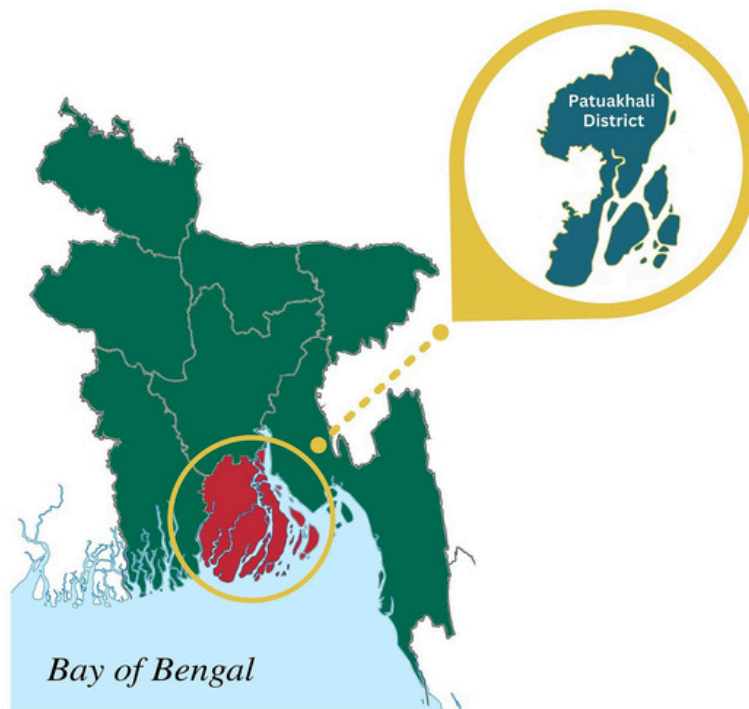


Mohammad Baizet
Administrator

WHERE WE WORK?

Al-Madeenah Islamic Society provides humanitarian and welfare services to the disadvantaged individuals and communities primarily in the southern region of Bangladesh in the Barisal division.

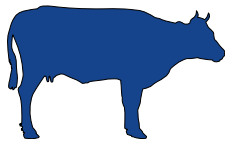
Currently we are focusing our humanitarian work in the Patuakhali district. However, our aim is to expand our activities to other poverty-stricken areas around the world in the near future.



Patuakhali and Barguna are the most poverty-stricken districts in the country, as 69.2 per cent people in the Southern districts are absolute poor and have to live on less than 2122 kilo calorie a day, a Bangladesh Bureau of Statistics (BBS) study said.

QURBANI 2024

Alhamdulillah, through the grace of Allah SWT and your generous donations, a total of 72 Qurbani shares were donated this year. This enabled us to deliver meat to the most disadvantaged individuals and families in the Patuakhali and Barisal districts of the southern regions of Bangladesh.



A total of 12 animals were sacrificed as part of the Qurbani 2024 programme.



The Qurbani Meat was distributed across 1300 poor and disadvantaged people



A total of 936kg was distributed to poor individuals and families.



15 Villages benefitted from the Al-Madeenah Qurbani Programme in 2024

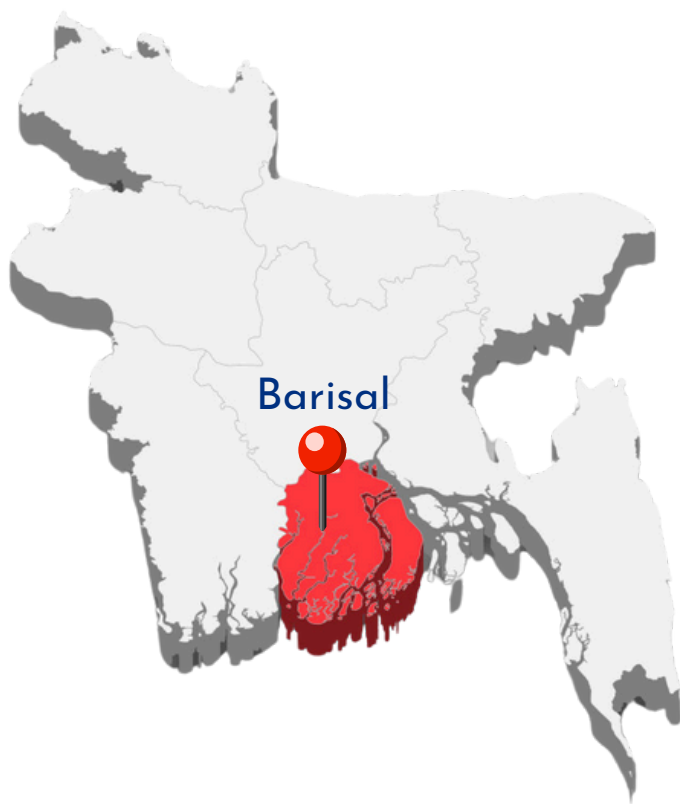






QURBANI DISTRIBUTION

The Qurbani meat this year was distributed to **1300** poor individuals from **15 villages** across **7 districts** within the **Barisal division**. These are some of the poorest communities in Bangladesh. The beneficiaries ranged from orphans to the elderly.



OUR PROJECTS



Build a *Masjid* from
£9000



Build a *Maktab* from
£7500



Hifdh Sponsorship
£150
(Per year)



Community Well
£600



Rickshaw
£500



Build a Home from
£2000



Saree Project
£10
(Per pair)



Orphan Sponsorship
£30
(Per month)



Buy a cow for a family
£500



Annual Qurbani



Nikah Package
£500



Public Cemetery from
£10,000



WHY DONATE WITH US?



UK Registered
Charity



100% Donation
Policy



GiftAid
Registered



We are the only UK
charity to operate in
this deprived region



100% DONATION POLICY

Al-Madeenah Islamic Society operates under a 100% donation policy which means every penny of your donations is used for charitable projects. Whether you donate online or in person, all donations go into 'charity-only' bank accounts from which nothing is removed. Our fundraising and administration costs are covered by gift aid and specific contributions for these operational running costs.

WHAT IS A 100% DONATION POLICY?

Muslims contribute to their faith by engaging in acts of charity, which align with Islam's belief in parting with their wealth with the less fortunate and promoting equality. However, many Muslims are unaware that a portion of their donated funds are allocated to cover administrative expenses incurred by nonprofit organisations when distributing aid.

To ensure our donations have the greatest impact, it is important to have a clear understanding of how your money is utilised. At Al-Madeenah Islamic Society, we have implemented a 100% Donation Policy, guaranteeing that all funds received from you are allocated exclusively to support individuals in need. By donating to our charity, your contributions directly provide essential resources like food, water, healthcare, and more, maximising the utilisation of your donation.



OUR ZAKAT POLICY

We regard Zakat with utmost sensitivity and consider it highly significant. Our commitment lies in collecting and distributing Zakat in strict adherence to Shari'ah principles, ensuring transparency, honesty, and ethical practices. We firmly believe that this is crucial for upholding our organisational values. To maintain this integrity, we take advice from our Shari'ah supervisory Board consisting of experienced Islamic scholars who provide their expertise and guidance.

It is important to emphasize that Zakat funds are spent within the same year and are not accumulated over time. This ensures timely and effective utilisation of your Zakat donations.

WHAT IS GIFT AID?

Gift Aid is a tax relief scheme allowing UK charities to reclaim an extra 25% on every eligible donation made by a UK taxpayer. If you pay Income or Capital Gains Tax in the UK you are eligible for the scheme.

Gift Aid will not cost you or us anything. It simply means that we can claim an additional 25p from the Government for every £1 you donate.





Before



After



ROOF IS COMPLETED AL'HAMDULILLĀH!



URGENT APPEAL

Continuing the legacy of Hadhrat Mawlānā Sheikh Ashraf Ali Sikder (rahimahullāh)

£19,000
£17,000
£15,000
£10,000
£5000
£1000

One of his final projects was to help fundraise for the building of a local Masjid, **Baitul Iman Jame Masjid** in Bauphal, Bangladesh. Al'hamdulillāh through your generous donations, we have completed the roof. However this unfinished Masjid is currently in need of additional funds, specifically for flooring and wall tiles, doors, windows, Wudhu and toilet facilities, paintwork, sound system and other necessary requirements.

As the winter season approaches, there isn't any protection for the worshippers against the harsh weather conditions which is a safety risk. The water seeps through the fragile structure resulting in the prayer area getting wet, causing great inconvenience.

WE NEED TO RAISE £19,000

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Call us to donate
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**YOUR DONATIONS WILL CHANGE PEOPLES LIVES.
PLEASE DONATE GENEROUSLY.**

**BE THE REASON FOR
THEIR SMILE**

DONATE NOW



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