Our Mission

The Mecca Center is an organization that believes in a comprehensive and inclusive understanding of Islam based on the noble principles outlined in the Quran and exemplified in the Sunnah. It seeks to establish, guide, and serve the Muslim community as an integral part of society at large. The Mecca Center specifically designs it programs to develop the spirit, mind, and civic responsibility.

Objectives

- To establish an environment for the Muslim community to practice Islam and worship Allah (All mighty God) as outlined in the Quran and exemplified in the Sunnah.
- To guide young Muslims toward building model Muslim character.
- To educate Muslims with the teachings of Islam, provide an Islamic perspective to the challenges of our society, and strengthen ties among community members.
- To present Islam to the society and build bridges of understanding with other cultures and faiths.
- To strengthen ties with other local and national Muslim organizations.
- To establish institutions, educational centers, and activities.

The Mecca Center Fast Facts

The new Mecca Center, which opened its doors in January 2017, is built on a 4.7-acre site and located at 16W560 91st Street in Willowbrook, Illinois. The new center provides the following facilities:

- A main foyer connecting major building elements while serving as the main mosque entrance
- · Spacious prayer halls, a library, classrooms, meeting rooms, and a visiting Imam office
- An Olympic-size gym which is used by the Mecca Center youth and others
- A banquet and multipurpose hall, administrative offices, and a conference room
- · LED monitor screens and wi-fi available across all common areas of the building
- · Plenty of green landscape and parking around the facilities

Programs and Services

The Mecca Center is thankful to have enough community support and resources to offer many programs and services, which will insha'Allah increase with our new center. The Mecca Center currently offers programs in the following areas: Education, Community Outreach, Interfaith Initiatives, and Youth Engagement.

- Sunday Seerah Halaga after Fajr Prayer For Brothers
- · Monday and Wednesday Tajweed Class before Isha
- · Wednesday at noon, Tafseer and Seerah Halaga
- · Wednesday (11 to 13 years old) Halaga
- Friday (high school students) Halaga
- Friday Figh Halaga before Khutbah
- Friday (high school & college students) Halaqa
- Saturday Quran open discussion, Halaga after Fajr prayer For Sisters

All-Inclusive Programs

- · Monthly Community Night
- Various Workshops & Seminars
- Daily Khatira after Isha Prayer
- · Daily Tafseer Halaga after Fajr Prayer

Visit **www.meccacenter.org** for more information, news, and events. You can also follow **The Mecca Center** on Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram!