



## RAMADHAN 1441 (2020) A REELIEF SUMMARY OF THE MONTH

#### **FEEDBACK REPORT**

A summary of the year's Iftar and Eid ul Fitr relief programmes

#### **IFTAR PROGRAMME** (£2.6 MILLION SPENT)

'Whoever feeds a fasting person will have a reward like that of fasting person without any reduction in his reward.' [Tirmidhi]

#### **ASIA**

The largest Iftar programme in Asia took place in India. Thousands of beleaguered Muslims across several states here were helped with food or cash assistance for the blessed month.

In the northern state of Assam, thousands of widows were given cash grants to help them meet their needs. Cash grants were also delivered to thousands more families in Gujarat, West Bengal, Andra Pradesh, Jammu Kashmir and in New Delhi's slums.



A further thousand families in Uttar Pradesh were also given Iftar packs, weighing over 60kg, allowing them to fast the long days, alhamdulillah.



To the East, in the Philippines, **750 poor families** were given financial assistance allowing them to purchase food for the month.



#### **MIDDLE EAST**

The biggest programme in this blessed region took place in North Syria, where over **14,000 families** were given Iftar. The programme, spanning the countrysides of Idlib and Aleppo, proved easier than in previous years due to the current Iull in fighting, alhamdulillah.









In neighbouring Iraq, 370 widows still surviving in devastated West Mosul were given Iftar packs. Each sister was given over 70kg of provisions for their family.





In besieged Gaza, Ummah Welfare Trust provided Iftar packs to **2,680 families**. Packs were distributed across the strip, from Rafah in the south to Beit Lahia in the north.







Finally in Yemen, in a large programme, **8,920 families** across the Sana'a governorate were given Iftar packs. Families here, who remain desperately poor, were each given a two-month supply of food alhamdulillah.









#### **AFRICA**

Over 10,000 families across the African continent were assisted with either food or cash assistance this Ramadhan. To the East, in Ethiopia, **2,182 displaced families** in Oromia region were given Iftar supplies, alhamdulillah.

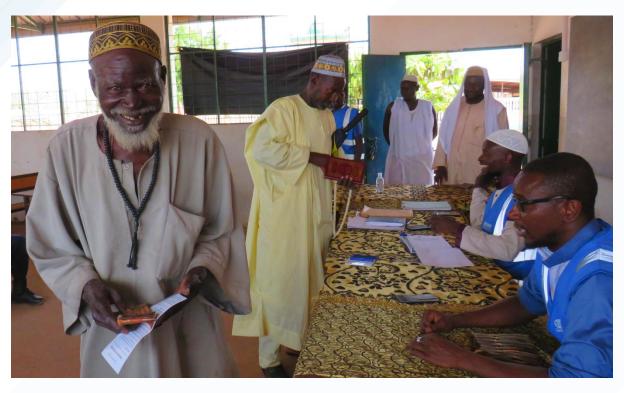


South in Malawi, Iftar packs were provided to over **4,200 farming families**. Families in Zomba, Katema and Namwera were given bags of maize, rice, flour, dates and more.





In West Africa, **3,232 families** in impoverished Gambia were each given large cash grants. The assistance came just at the right time as the Covid-19 lockdown here had crippled families' abilities to earn.





Finally, in both Mauritania and Sierra Leone, **over 600 families** in each country were given vital cash assistance to help make the most of Ramadhan's blessed days.





#### **SADAQATUL FITR (£574,320 SPENT)**

'The Prophet @declared the payment of Sadaqatul Fitr as obligatory; it purifies the fasting person from any indecent act or speech, and is a source of feeding the poor.' [Abu Dawud]

In the run up to Eid, Ummah Welfare Trust distributed over £570,000 of your Sadaqatul Fitr contributions to poor families in Syria, Iraq, Yemen, Pakistan, Gaza, Iraq, Ethiopia, Gambia and Malawi.

It was largest Fitr programme Ummah Welfare Trust that delivered, alhamdulillah. Bags of flour, rice or wheat were provided to over **53,484 families** in total, allowing them to enjoy the auspicious day of Eids.











### **EID GIFTS (£124,722 SPENT)**

'From the most beloved deeds to Allah is to make a believer happy and remove a grief from him...' [Bayhaqi]

Smiles were brought to over **8,400 children** this year thanks to the global Eid gifts programme. Children in Syria, Gaza, Iraq, India, and Sierra Leone were given money to treat themselves on the blessed day.





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MAY ALLAH ACCEPT YOUR GENEROSITY THIS RAMADHAN!