

## LESSON 7: Special Occasions in Islam

### 1. Ramadan

- **Importance:** The holy month of fasting, prayer, and reflection.
- **Activities:** Fasting from dawn to sunset, performing Taraweeh prayers, reading the Quran, and giving to charity.

### 2. Eid al-Fitr

- **Importance:** Celebration marking the end of Ramadan.
- **Activities:** Attending the Eid prayer, giving Zakat al-Fitr (charity), visiting family and friends, and enjoying festive meals.

### 3. Hajj

- **Importance:** The pilgrimage to Mecca, one of the Five Pillars of Islam.
- **Activities:** Performing the rites of Hajj, which include Tawaf (circumambulation) of the Kaaba, Sa'i (walking) between Safa and Marwah, and standing at Arafat.

### 4. Eid al-Adha

- **Importance:** Commemoration of the willingness of Prophet Ibrahim (AS) to sacrifice his son for Allah.
- **Activities:** Attending the Eid prayer, performing the Qurbani (sacrifice of an animal), and distributing meat to the needy.