



March 22, 2023

Dear Friends,

I am writing today because, as you may know, the holy month of Ramadan begins this evening, March 22, at sundown, and extends until sundown on April 20, followed by Eid al-Fitr on April 21. In the name of the entire division of Mission and Ministry, I wish to extend my prayers and best wishes to the Muslim community here at the University of Scranton, and indeed, throughout the world.

While I would always acknowledge this holy season, I am especially pleased to do so this year, after the Student Government has unanimously approved a new Muslim Student Association here on campus. The University of Scranton has long been blessed by our Muslim community, and to have this group now active on campus makes the commemoration of this season of prayer and fasting all the more special for us. We ask God, merciful and compassionate, to bless our Muslim friends both on campus and off in the coming days.

Sincerely,
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