

The Witr prayer is a confirmed Sunnah (Sunnah Muakkadah) .

The Witr prayer is the final prayer of the night.

The time for the Witr prayer starts when an individual has finished praying Isha and ends at dawn (Start of Fajr time). It is better to delay it until the last 3rd of the night unless you feel that you will not be able to get up, then you should pray it before you go to sleep.

If you are getting up to pray Tahajjud then Witr should be prayed after.

The minimum number of rak'ah for Witr prayer is 1, but can also be prayed with 3,5,7,9 or 11 rak'ah. The method for praying the different numbers of rak'ah differs.

If praying with 3 rak'ah these should be completed **continuously without sitting for Tashahud** after the 2nd rak'ah.

In the final Rak'ah Qunoot dua should be recited **after the Rukoo'**, with hands cupped at chest level. After this you go straight into Sujood.