## 26809 - They do not pray Jumu'ah because there is no khaleefah

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There are many young people who do not pray Jumu'ah; instead they pray Zuhr (four rak'ahs) because the conditions for Jumu'ah prayer are not met as there is no khaleefah

## **Detailed** answer

Praise be to Allah.

They are doing wrong by not praying Jum'ah, and by praying Zuhr instead, because the existence or permission of a khaleefah is not a condition for Jumu'ah to be obligatory or valid, according to the scholars of Ahl al-Sunnah wa'l-Jamaa'ah.