

Christian Campaign for Nuclear Disarmament



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Dear Friend

The last 12 months have been incredibly busy as we work and pray for a nuclear weapons-free world. Against the backdrop of rising global tensions the international community has come together to say no to nuclear weapons. With continued hard work and prayer we hope that The Treaty on the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons, agreed by the UN in 2017, will come into force next year.

Christian CND has also had a busy 2019. Your membership, donations and support have enabled us to continue to work engaging Christians across the country and around the world. You can read a detailed report of our activity in our Annual Report, but some of the highlights have been:

- Handing in a petition to Downing Street calling on the UK government to engage with the Treaty on the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons
- Coordinating a statement from more than 200 Anglican clergy opposing the National Service of Thanksgiving for Nuclear Weapons at Westminster Abbey
- Organising an alternative service outside Westminster Abbey, bringing together more than 150 Christians from a range of denominations to pray for peace
- Launching a new Partner scheme to engage churches, groups and organisations in our work
- Attending the Non-Proliferation Treaty Preparatory Committee meetings in New York
- Taking our message to a bigger, younger audience at Christian festival *Big Church Day Out*
- Growing the organisation with new members from a range of denominations.
- Working collaboratively with others including the International Campaign to Abolish Nuclear Weapons and the Network of Christian Peace Organisations

You can find more information about all these activities on our website.

In 2020 we mark our 60th anniversary and we have big plans to engage even more Christians throughout the year. We're currently working on an exhibition exploring the history of Christian CND, which we plan to take around the country as part of a public meeting tour, highlighting the on-going threat of nuclear weapons and what Christians can do about it. We'll also be attending the Non-Proliferation Treaty Review Conference in New York as the international community gathers for disarmament talks and continuing our international work at home meeting Ambassadors and diplomats, celebrating states supporting efforts towards disarmament. We also hope to republish a book highlighting the biblical basis for our work. And that's just for starters – if you would like to get involved with these activities, or have suggestions and plans of your own, we really want to hear from you.

We couldn't do any of this without you. Your membership and support, prayers and dedication make Christian CND the growing organisation it is today. If you can, please make a special anniversary gift now, to ensure we can make 2020 our biggest and most unforgettable year yet.

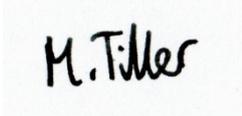
- £10 can pay for leaflets to spread the message of peace
- £25 can help hire a venue to host our exhibition and a public meeting as part of our anniversary tour
- £50 can help Christian CND representatives to the NPT Review Conference in New York.

Thank you and may God bless you this Christmas.

Yours in Peace

Martin Tiller
Co-Chair

David Maxwell
Co-Chair



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