



on message : November 2020

Dear Friends, I write this edition of 'on message', on the first day of the latest lockdown. Our hope is that by the end of four weeks, we might be able to celebrate Christmas with our family and friends. I also hope that each of us in The Campaigners can begin to look ahead into 2021 with more optimism!

I am convinced that there is a vital role for The Campaigners in Christian youth ministry. As we gradually emerge from this pandemic, with its virtual world of computer games, Zoom and the like, there will be a craving for reality, normality and for genuine relationships. This is what The Campaigners does best - when we work together, share our hopes and dreams together and do stuff together. Our history reminds of the halcyon days when 100s and even 1000s came together for the big event travelling in fleets of cars and mini buses and even charter trains. Moreover, and more vitally, there are many 1000s who attribute their Campaigner days with their discovery of a personal living faith in Christ.

This month's on message is therefore focused on one simple theme for your prayers and it concerns what is probably one of the greatest challenges The Campaigners has faced in its entire history.

Tim Greenhalgh 5 Nov 2020

This vision is for a future time. It describes the end, and it will be fulfilled. If it seems slow in coming, wait patiently, for it will surely take place. It will not be delayed. Habakkuk 2:3

After almost 99 years of faithful and effective ministry, the Campaigners is uniquely and ideally placed for such a time as this. Young people need purpose, friendships, activity, and of course, Jesus - the Christian Way, Truth and Life.

Please pray with your heart and mind open to God, Waiting on the Lord and praying for the whole future ministry of the Campaigners and the growth of the common bond we all share together, whatever and however that might look.

As we wait expectantly on the Lord, do please share with us anything you feel the Lord is saying to you so it can be shared in December's on message.



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