

CHRISTIANS AGAINST ANTI-SEMITISM



A campaign by:



CHRISTIANS UNITED FOR ISRAEL

- UNITED KINGDOM -



IN 2014 ANTI-SEMITISM IN THE UK REACHED THE HIGHEST LEVEL SINCE RECORDS BEGAN

58% of British Jews fear they have no long-term future in Europe.

24 million adults in Western Europe have never heard of the Holocaust.

6% of people in Britain think that Holocaust facts are greatly exaggerated.

400% global rise of anti-Semitic incidents in 2014 compared with the previous year.

Sources: YouGov poll commissioned by Campaign Against Anti-Semitism, and the ADL Global 100 Index.

THIS CAMPAIGN

It seems difficult to comprehend that anti-Semitic attitudes not only exist in 2015, but are **increasing significantly** throughout the world.

Christians Against Anti-Semitism is a campaign created to provide a positive Christian voice in opposition to the rise of anti-Semitism in the UK and Europe. We invite you to join with us in making the Christian position clear, vocal and dynamic, so that united we can say....

***“...Because I am a Christian,
I stand against anti-Semitism”***



A Rabbi kneels in the Jewish cemetery in which hundreds of Jewish graves were desecrated in Sarre-Union, France, February 2015.

ANTI-SEMITIC INCIDENTS

The first quarter of 2015 has seen an alarming rate of anti-Semitic incidents in Europe including fatal attacks.

Here are just a few examples:

- In January 2015, it was reported that Jewish primary school pupils in the UK are preparing what to do in order to survive a terrorist attack. Pupils as young as ten are being **trained to dive under their desks** and lie still like “sleeping lions” at an unnamed north London school.
- Four Jews were murdered at a **kosher supermarket in Paris** by an Islamic extremist. The incident prompted the government to deploy thousands of police officers to protect Jewish schools.
- A Jewish man guarding a **synagogue in Copenhagen** was killed in a terrorist attack in February.
- The UK government announced in March that Jewish schools and synagogues will get **£10million a year** for guards to protect against attack.
- A record number of Jewish people are fleeing France “in fear” after a shocking rise in the number of anti-Semitic attacks in recent years. In 2014, **7,000 Jewish people moved from France** to Israel, double the previous year’s figures.
- A **Jewish cemetery in Hungary** was vandalised in March. About 20 graves were damaged and **human remains were scattered**.

“ It goes to the heart of the belief that all humanity has been made in the image of God. The blasphemy of anti-Semitism is it seeks to... destroy that divine gift. ”

Archbishop Justin Welby, February 2015

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Petition

Signatories of this petition:

Express condemnation of discrimination, hate speech and other forms of anti-Semitic attitudes toward people because of their Jewish faith.

Acknowledge the tremendous contribution that our Judeo-Christian heritage has had in shaping our British values.

We also call upon governments to:

- **Commit** resources to assure that Jewish people are safe to live and practice their religion.
- **Protect** and enforce legislation that allows for the prosecution of anti-Semitic behaviour.
- **Support** the notion that values such as freedom of speech do not automatically permit the expression of hatred towards any religious group.
- **Uphold** its commitment in assuring that important historical events, such as The Holocaust, remain in compulsory education.
- **Endorse** the notion that universities and colleges prevent the hosting of guest speakers that have a proven record of hate speech towards the Jewish people.

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Name: _____

- Yes, I sign this petition.
- Please send me a campaign booklet and petition sheet.

Address: _____

_____ Postcode: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email*: _____

**Please complete if you would like to receive updates.*



SIGN THE PETITION

Please sign the enclosed petition or sign online at www.cufi.org.uk/campaigns

The petition will be presented to the UK government, European Parliament, Embassy of Israel in Britain and other national Jewish and Christian leaders.



ORDER OUR CAMPAIGN BOOKLET

Our campaign booklet has more information about anti-Semitism today, how Christians should respond and how to take action.



SHARE

Please pray for this campaign, tell your friends and family and share with members of your church.

Together, and with the Lord's help, we can stem this rising tide of anti-Semitism.



Christians United for Israel is a national association through which churches, ministries and individuals in the United Kingdom can speak and act with one voice in support of Israel in matters related to Biblical issues.

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