

# ADVOCACY PRIORITIES

The global Catholic peace movement promoting peace, respect of human rights, justice and reconciliation around the world, working with more than 120 member organisations.

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INTERNATIONAL

## Extractives in Latin America



- ✓ Created working group with members from Latin America, Europe and North America
- ✓ Published position paper and call to the international community
- ✓ Organised panel discussion in the EU context with indigenous leaders with CIDSE and COMECE
- ✓ Trained 3 human rights defenders in advocacy skills and coordinated lobby meetings with EU institution

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## Nuclear Weapons Ban Treaty



- ✓ Participated in Nobel Peace Prize celebrations as member of ICAN
- ✓ Organised two side-events at the UN during treaty negotiations for over 100 people
- ✓ Formulated text proposals for the treaty text leading to 5 stronger articles through joint NGOs' advocacy work
- ✓ Sent an 8-person delegation to the Vatican conference on disarmament

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## Nonviolence, a style of politics for peace



- ✓ Organised two panel discussions, one at the UN in New York and the other in Brussels
- ✓ Delivered SDG-training on nonviolence to 23 representatives of our Asia-Pacific network in Manila
- ✓ Published position paper promoting nonviolent approaches with COMECE and Justice&Peace Europe for the EU Communication on Resilience
- ✓ Participated in an exchange meeting between policymakers and faith-based organisations

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## Renewed Israel-Palestine Peace Process



- ✓ Participated in the annual Holy Land Coordination with bishops
- ✓ Created online petition to the EU High Representative to push the EU to take a stronger role in Israeli-Palestinian issues; followed with lobby meeting at the EU High Representative's office
- ✓ Issued press release denoting activities of our network commemorating 50 years of Israeli occupation of Palestinian territories
- ✓ Participated in the World Council of Churches conference on 50 years of occupation