

# CAMPUS VIBES

THE VIBRATION OF CAMPUS MINISTRY IN INDIA

## NATIONAL CAMPUS MINISTRY

**"Called to be Saints" (Rom 1:7)**

The Campus Ministry is an initiative of Jesus Youth with a mission to touch and transform the lives in the institutions of higher education. The ministry aims to introduce Jesus to the youth in the campuses, encouraging them to grow in faith and equipping them to share the love of God to others and thus become genuine witnesses of faith. The ministry aims to transform education institutions into centres of formation and faith sharing. Recalling the exhortation of the Holy Father, **"to be the saints of the new millennium"**, the movement strives to equip these youth to be the saints of today, through fellowship, sacraments and Word of GOD.

### CAMPUS VIBES -2008



**"The young...You are strong"(1 John 2:14)**

The national gathering of campus leaders all across India, have marked a new beginning for the national campus ministry as well as for the vibrant young people in Christ. People who speak different languages, from entirely different family backgrounds, from different cultures but **one in Christ** came together for 9 days from 6th-15<sup>th</sup> of June,2008 .The Holy Cross convent , Bangalore witnessed this harvest of 38 campus leaders from 7 states of India.

### *NATIONAL CAMPUS TEAM:*

*"Clothed with power from on  
high" (Lk 24:49)*

*Wonders have to happen in the  
campuses all over India; for a  
new team with Jordey Michael  
from Bangalore as the  
coordinator was anointed as the  
national campus team on June  
15<sup>th</sup> 2008.*

*With Fr. Varghese from Chennai  
as the Pastor, Mrs. Soney Noble  
from Mumbai and Mr. Navin  
Bruce Thomas from Kerala as the  
elders, the new team has 6  
members*

*With a great Vision, with new  
dreams and hopes, the new  
**NATIONAL CAMPUS TEAM**  
is all set to go!*

*As a first step of reaching out to  
the campuses all over India, we  
hereby present a news letter –  
**'CAMPUS VIBES'** – through  
which you will be updated on the  
ministry works going on, all over  
India.*

*As you flip through these pages,  
let your hearts be filled with  
prayers for all campuses in India.  
Let the peace and Joy of Our  
Lord, Jesus Christ rule your lives.*

With an entirely different approach in the programme level, **CAMPUS VIBES** has given rich insights to the participants which they will treasure for ever. With the discussions on media and with their own presentations, this programme, for sure has made a paradigm shift in their lives...

From the very first day of out reach to old age home to the last three days of planning for the grooming of campuses in India; have really set their lives on fire...

With the inputs, sharings and open discussions led by -Subin Jacob, Navin Bruce, Rajju Varghese, Chackochan Njavallil, Soney Noble etc have really helped them to walk His talk in their lives. In Short it was all about being a fool for the Lord, being faithful to Him, and to build His Kingdom in the campuses of India.

### *CAMPUS MEETS:*

**"I have seen God face to face"**  
(Gen 32:30)

The easiest way to reach out to the young ; to fill their lives with the Peace and Joy of Christ , through rocking music, vibrant sessions, beautiful choreographies and much more. This year Mangalore, Mumbai, Nagpur and Kerala have planned to come up with CAMPUS MEETS.

The Mangalore campus meet which was from August 14-17, 2008 had 500 no's participated.

The preparations for Mumbai Campus meet on September (25-28), have been going on well, targeting 500 youth.

In Kerala a series of 7 campus meets will happen during the months of September and October.

### *TALENT GALLERY IN MUMBAI:*

**"A new Heart I will give you"** (Ezek 36:26)

The Mumbai service team along with national campus team has planned to come up with a talent gallery programme specially focused on music; in Mumbai on Sep 12-14, 2008. With the Rex band in the lead this will set ablaze the lives of many a talented young people in His love.

### **ATTENTION PLEASE ....!**

JYNCT is planning to do

- **A MISSION TRIP TO ANDAMAN & NICOBAR ISLANDS DURING 2008 X'MAS HOLIDAYS. If you want to be part of this Mission, please send mail to [campus@jesusyouth.org](mailto:campus@jesusyouth.org)**

**Please do pray, as it can only do wonders...**

### **KEEP GOING JY –DELHI!**

**"You are joint heirs of the Grace of Life"**



### **Campus rendezvous:**

**A programme organized by the Jesus youth of Delhi, focusing on the budding youngsters in Christ, who will step into their college lives in the current academic year. With interesting videos, sessions and discussions, games and movies and rocking Gospel jam sessions; the Delhi campus JY had given a good attempt to provide the participants with a launch pad to their college lives.**



**A FULLTIMER FOR NATIONAL CAMPUS MINISTRY:**

“Speak Lord for thy servant hears” (1 Sam 3:11)

Livin- an ardent Jesus Youth from Bangalore, as well as a part of the National Campus Team, who attended the International fulltimership this year, has taken his commitment for the National Campus Ministry.

Lets remember him in our prayers and wish him all the very best of Graces from Almighty!

**WONDERS IN JALANDHAR:**

“I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me” (Phil 4:13)

A Jesus Youth prayer meeting happens in the Trinity College, Jalandhar on all Wednesdays. The core team members meet on every Sunday for intercession and for the preparations for the next prayer meeting. A retreat was conducted in the college and a ‘JERICO’ prayer was also done for 7 days before the retreat. As a result of all these ventures, some of the students along with the core team members come together every day before class hours in the college prayer hall, for rosary and intercession.

**PROFFESIONALS TO MISSION:**

“To bring the good news” (Lk 1:9)

With an intense crave to share the love of Jesus, some of the professional graduates of Kerala went on for a mission to north India for one month during May after a training of 10 days. These 15 numbered young missionaries have now returned home with great zeal and zest in preaching His kingdom.

**NEWS FLASH FROM KOLKATTA :**

“Victory through our Lord Jesus Christ” (1 Cor 15:57)

**‘Damascus-08’**

An initial programme for the youth of kolkotta took place in Nitika, Don Bosco, Kolkotta. With 44 participants the programme went on well and these young people are every ready to be the new Gospels.

**FORM TAMIL NADU: Tamil Nadu leaders**

**gathering** on 5-7 of Sep at Trichy. For the very first time the campus leaders come together in Tamil Nadu for setting new strategies and to thus build His kingdom in campuses.

**Prayer:**

Most loving God, we humbly place our Campus Ministry into your hands. We pray for our colleges, universities and all other centers of learning so that you will raise your apostles in these places. Let your message of love bear abundant fruits among the students, teachers and all the administrative staff in these institutions. Let there be an outpouring of your Holy Spirit upon them, so that many of them will accept Jesus as their Lord and Master and will come together to glorify him. We make this prayer with the intercession of our blessed mother. Amen.