



Update: Healing and Hope for Women Vanuatu - 102430

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Bible Society of the South Pacific, in partnership with World Day of Prayer, are running a project in 2021 to advocate and empower women who are victims of domestic violence.

On the 4th of March, women gathered in Port Vila, Vanuatu, to march through the town area, declaring the opening of the World Day of Prayer. The following day, the women gathered in churches to pray together following the "Build on a Strong Foundation" program.

This project has already helped bring light to churches on the issue of Domestic Violence and the suffering of the women of Vanuatu. Trauma healing workshops, which will demonstrate how God's word can heal hurt and hopelessness, are planned and will begin later in the year. Similarly, further workshops are planned to increase public knowledge of women's human and legal rights, and a literacy program to help women gain reading and writing skills, well as providing Bible study opportunities for them.