

 **World Day of Prayer**

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**“Build on a Strong Foundation”**

**Illustration**

The Writer Committee Workshop for the 2021 WDP annual celebration was held in Port-Vila, Vanuatu, from April 9-13, 2018. The workshop officially started the writing process with church women leaders in Vanuatu.

The workshop was held at the Presbyterian Church, which was carefully set up for the meetings and communal meals, including the traditional lap lap to celebrate WDP. The participants brought gifts to beautifully prepare the altar table. It was decorated with flowers from their gardens, the Bislama Bible, garland necklaces, and palm weaved baskets and fans.

The picture reflect those moments lived together which are now extended to WDP around the world. It represents a gesture of care from Vanuatu women to the WDP theme preparatory process. It symbolizes the Vanuatu communities, it reflects God’s creation, and it shows the connection with the land and the beauty of a life by faith.

“By wisdom a house is built, and through understanding it is established” (Proverbs 24:3). This is the house of one who is wise, who hears and obeys the word and builds the house on a secure and strong foundation – Jesus Christ.

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