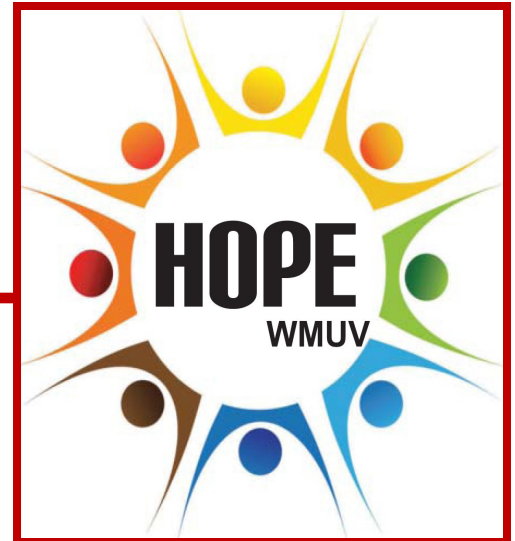


Human Trafficking Facilitator's Guide

Introduction :

God hears the cries of his people. In the world today there are an estimated 24.9 million victims of human trafficking worldwide. How can the church help and respond to the problem of human trafficking?

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Selected Scripture References

A Psalm	Psalm 82:2-4	God calls us to called to rescue the needy.
Old Testament	Exodus 3:7	God is concerned about suffering.
New Testament	Luke 4:14 - 21	Jesus came to set captives free.

Explore Together

1. Why would God care about victims of human trafficking?
2. Explore together some possibilities of why it may be difficult to break-free from being a victim of human trafficking?
3. How can the church prevent children and youth from becoming victims of human sex trafficking?
4. Lisa is an advocate against labor trafficking. How can we become more educated consumers?
5. WMUV volunteers are walking the streets to minister to women caught in prostitution, are meeting human needs in safehouses and selling fair-trade products made through WorldCrafts WorldCrafts.org to address human trafficking. Brainstorm ways in which your church can address human trafficking at home and around the world.

Pray

Pray for those forced into labor and sex trafficked and denied their freedom.

Pray for those who oppress others that they too may be free from their bondage.

Pray that survivors of human trafficking will be healed.