## **WORLD DAY OF PRAYER MARCH 4, 2011**

HOW MANY LOAVES HAVE YOU?









On Friday March 4th 2011 women from around the world will celebrate the Women's World Day of Prayer. This first Friday of March is always an exciting day as a great wave of prayer sweeps the world, beginning when the first service is held in Tonga and continuing around the world until the final service takes place, some 35 hours later, in neighbouring Western Samoa. By then the day will have been celebrated in over 170 countries.

This year the service has been written by the women of Chile. It is an appropriate theme for bread is eaten at every meal and is very much part of everyday life. The women of Chile offer what it means to them as they share this service with us.

Stretching from Peru to Antarctica, the Republic of Chile occupies a long, narrow strip of land 2,640 miles long and 110 miles wide. It is a land of incredible contrasts. It also has the highest incidence of domestic violence in Latin America and most women suffer from discrimination in some form or other. Equal opportunities are being pursued.

JOIN IN SOLIDARITY
WITH THE WOMEN OF CHILE
AND ALL OVER THE WORLD
AS WE AFFIRM OUR FAITH IN JESUS CHRIST
AND SHARE OUR HOPES AND FEARS,
JOYS AND SORROWS, OPPORTUNITIES AND NEEDS.

PRAYER CAN MULTIPLY THE LOAVES. Mark 6:30-44

SERVICES IN THE CAYMAN ISLANDS HOSTED AT THE EAST END UNITED CHURCH, WEBSTER MEMORIAL UNITED CHURCH, BODDEN TOWN AND JOHN GRAY MEMORIAL CHURCH, WEST BAY AT 7 P.M. ON FRIDAY 4<sup>TH</sup> MARCH, 2011

MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN ARE ALL INVITED TO PARTICIPATE