

**Central committee plenary on IEPC/ Violence against women and children  
Friday, February 15, 9.30-12.00 (coffee break 10.30-11.00)**

**DRAFT OUTLINE**

The day would begin with morning prayers followed by a 30-minutes Bible study at 9.00 on overcoming violence.

1. Brief introduction – the starting point: Porto Alegre decisions 3 minutes
2. Brief reference/exposé on the theme 5 minutes  
*(could use a video here)*
3. Preparatory Process
  - a) The Living Letters – testimonies from Sri Lanka and the USA 7 minutes  
*(could use various voices here)*
  - b) Peace declarations, including first responses (Fernando Enns) 7 minutes
  - c) Interactions with other Programmes (Agnes Aboum and others) 15 minutes
    - Violence Against Women and Children
    - New Images of Men
4. Fund-Raising Plan (Martin Schindehütte and others) 10 minutes  
*(could use a video here)*
5. Discussion among CC members 45 minutes
6. Concluding Symbolic Act
  - Forming a spiral in the hall or
  - Give ribbons in the colors of the rain bow (ca. seven meters long) to all members of CC and ask them to knot them to a ring that will then be raised to the top of the hall. Then the other ends of the ribbons can be tied to the surrounding walls creating something like a “rainbow tent” as a symbol of hope and commitment.