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## MEC Mazibuko joins Vlakfontein community in a prayer to fight gender based violence

The Gauteng MEC for Community Safety, Faith Mazibuko, accompanied by members from various law enforcement agencies and local leadership, will join various Faith-based Organizations and the community of Vlakfontein in the south of Johannesburg for a prayer following a rise in incidents of gender based violence, murder and sexual assault in the area.

The event, which is part of the 16 Days of Activism for No Violence Against Women and Children, is expected to be attended by more than 1000 congregants from various Faith Based Organizations.

## Details of the prayer are as follows:

Date: Thursday, 28 November 2019

Time : 10:00

Venue: Sports Field behind Bana Ba Ka Moso, VLAKFONTEIN

Media houses attending the event are kindly requested to send confirmations to Hlulani Mashaba on **073 064 5863** or <a href="mailto:hlulani.mashaba@gauteng.gov.za">hlulani.mashaba@gauteng.gov.za</a>

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