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Emmanuel Macron is expected in Marseille on Monday for a three-day visit which will first focus on the theme of security. The Head of State will first meet with police officers while settling of scores have increased since the beginning of the year in the city against a background of drug trafficking. He will then go to the prison of Baumettes - one of the symbols of prison overcrowding in France.

Also in the news; in Angers, a 40-year-old woman was found dead last night at her home. Her body showed signs of strangulation and struggle. A murder investigation has been opened.

Big fright yesterday at the school of Fontreine de Gap in the Hautes-Alpes. The emergency services were called for an emanation of smoke within the establishment. It came from a class of the nursery school. For safety, around 60 students and their teachers were evacuated. The incident caused no injuries.

And the tropical storm Bret is moving away from Martinique. 25,000 homes are still without electricity on the French island of the West Indies. Schools remained closed today.

It will travel throughout France: The route of the Olympic flame for the 2024 Olympic Games was comunicated today from the Sorbonne in Paris. In total, it will travel for 68 days throughout more than 400 cities in mainland France and overseas. The start will be given on May 8 in Marseille and last stage will be in Paris on July 26 for the opening ceremony which will kick off the event.

And then it will say goodbye in two weeks after 27 years of service. The Ariane 5 rocket will make its last flight on July 4 from Kourou in Guyana. As a reminder, it had been postponed on June 15 due to a technical problem. This 117th flight of the European rocket will place in orbit a French military communications satellite.