



THE COMMUNITY ACTION POVERTY SIMULATION

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 2026

COULD YOU SURVIVE A MONTH IN POVERTY?

Across Nassau and Suffolk Counties 168,000 people currently live in poverty. Over 25,000 are children in grades K-12. It is difficult to truly understand the situations that families living in poverty are experiencing everyday - the decisions they have to make and the fears and frustrations they feel.

This is why we are inviting you to participate in the Community Action Poverty Simulation. Hosted by St. Patrick's Parish Outreach, Holy Cross Parish Outreach, St. Thomas More Parish Outreach, and Catholic Charities, the program gives participants the opportunity to assume the role of a low-income family member living on a limited budget.

9:00 AM: Check-In and Breakfast

9:30 AM: Start Time

11:15 AM: Debriefing (all participants are strongly encouraged to stay)

*We invite you to join us on **Saturday, September 26th at 9AM at St. Patrick's in Smithtown. Please RSVP to Kelley at (631) 265-2200, Ext. 113, no later than September 15th.** We look forward to your participation.*



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