

Faith to Face Poverty Week

Poverty Simulation

Sponsored by JJ Keller Foundation and facilitated by CAP Services

THE SIMULATION EXPERIENCE

The poverty simulation experience is designed to help participants begin to understand what it might be like to live in a typical low-income family trying to survive from month to month. **It is a simulation, not a game.** The object is to sensitize participants to the realities faced by low-income people.

In the simulation, 86 participants assume the roles of up to 26 different families facing poverty. The task of the “families” is to provide for basic necessities and shelter during the course of four 15-minute “weeks”.

The experience lasts from two to three hours. It includes an introduction, the actual simulation exercise, and a debriefing period in which participants and volunteer staffers share their feelings and experiences and talk about what they have learned about the lives of people in poverty.



A group of people during a poverty simulation

Sign up for one today!
Free of charge!
Participate in lively
discussion!

Sign-up for one of two times:

- ◆ Monday, 10/4/10, 5:30-8:30 p.m., Appleton Public Library lower level
- ◆ Friday, 10/8/10, 9 a.m.-noon, Family Resource Center, 1165 Appleton Rd., Menasha ; note: parking is available on both sides of building

Call or email to sign your group up!

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