

## LEADERSHIP LORAIN COUNTY CLASS OF 2009



### POVERTY SIMULATION



## Could you survive a month in poverty?

32.9 million Americans, 11.7 million of whom are children under the age of 18, live in poverty every day.

It is difficult for those of us who have enough to truly understand the situations that families living in poverty experience every day - the decisions they have to make, the fears and frustrations they feel.

That's why we are inviting you to walk a mile in the shoes of those facing poverty by participating in the Community Action Poverty Simulation

#### **This free program provides**

- The opportunity to assume the role of a low-income family member living on a limited budget.
- Four 15 minute sessions, each of which represents one week in which you must provide for your family and maintain your home.

The simulation will be held **7:45 am - 12:00 pm** on **Wednesday, December 3, 2008** at **1173 North Ridge RD., Lorain, OH.** Please **RSVP by November 21** by calling **440-366-4700.** We look forward to your participation.

**LOCATION:** GATHERING HOPE HOUSE  
1173 NORTH RIDGE RD. E.  
SUITE 102  
LORAIN, OHIO 44055

**DATE:** WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 3, 2008

**TIME:** 7:45 - 8:30 CONTINENTAL  
BREAKFAST & REGISTRATION

**PROGRAM WILL BEGIN AT 8:30**

**RSVP:** 440-366-4700

#### QUESTIONS? CONTACT

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