

# responses to childhood Poverty

A CALL TO JUSTICE

May 3, 2017

**The reality** of childhood poverty in the Greater Rochester Region is a growing injustice caused by a complex economic and sociological landscape.

**The effects** of regional childhood poverty are felt across rural, suburban, and urban communities resulting in a need that is rapidly outgrowing available resources.

**The response** to the suffering of the vulnerable and oppressed in our community has a defining impact that is inconsistent with the Christian faith.

## Answer the call:

- Move beyond information gathering
- Engage in the work already taking place
- Explore how you can make an impact
- Work with constituents and community representatives to identify new avenues for prevention and relief



## Keynote Speaker

**Brigit Hurley**

policy analyst  
The Children's Agenda

## Schedule

8:30 a.m.	Registration
9:00	Opening Prayer & Welcome
9:30	Plenary Session 1: The State of Childhood Poverty in Rochester: A Profile & A Way Forward
10:45	Break
11:00	Community Agency Panel Presentations
12:15 p.m.	Lunch/Round Table Discussions
1:15	Plenary Session 2: Action-Driven Responses
2:00	Break
2:15	Creative Responses to Impact Poverty
3:30	Closing Prayer & Worship
4:00	Departure

## Pricing

General: \$20

Student: No Charge (reg. required)

## Register

[www.nes.edu/bt-roberts-symposium](http://www.nes.edu/bt-roberts-symposium)

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## Location

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