

Take the Thirty Day “CHANGE THE WORLD” Homeless Challenge



HOW:

Pick up a piggy bank at CAPCA or find an old jar with a lid and label it!

Start Date:
November 1,
2018

End Date:
November 30,
2018

Each day
complete the
challenge listed.

At the end of the
month give the
change you
collected to the
Community
Programs Team.

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| <p>DAY ONE: BE AN ADVOCATE! Ask someone to take the homeless challenge with YOU!</p> | <p>DAY TWO: People become homeless for different reasons. Listen to Katie's story: https://soundcloud.com/thesentinelrecord/katie?</p> | <p>DAY THREE: People experiencing homelessness usually have no form of reliable transportation. Place a quarter in your jar for every vehicle in your home.</p>  | <p>DAY FOUR: DID YOU KNOW? There are over 600,000 people who are homeless on the streets each night in America.</p> | <p>DAY FIVE: Homeless youth usually struggle academically due to lack of technology to complete their homework. Place a quarter in the jar for every device with internet access.</p> | <p>DAY SIX: Loss of a loved one can cause depression and lead to homelessness. Listen to Lonnie's story: https://soundcloud.com/thesentinelrecord/lonnie?</p> |
| <p>DAY SEVEN: RAISE AWARENESS! Share something you learned this week with a friend.</p> | <p>DAY EIGHT: People experiencing homelessness often have difficulty accessing clean and safe water. Place a dime in your jar for every faucet in your home.</p>  | <p>DAY NINE: Read a recent international article on homelessness. https://www.theguardian.com/society/2017/aug/15/how-i-became-homeless-three-peoples-stories</p> | <p>DAY TEN: For people experiencing homelessness it is difficult to find access to phones. Place a dollar in your jar for every working phone in your household today.</p> | <p>DAY ELEVEN: People struggling with homelessness often lack a private place to sleep. They are unable to get a good night's rest and are often woken up during the night. Place a quarter in the jar for every bed in your home.</p>  | <p>DAY TWELVE: People experiencing homelessness often lack access to a bathroom. Place a quarter in the jar for every toilet in your home.</p> |
| <p>DAY THIRTEEN: Read a national article on homelessness.</p> | <p>DAY FOURTEEN: EDUCATE! Teach someone something you learned this week.</p> | <p>DAY FIFTEEN: BE AN ADVOCATE! Please “like” and share our Facebook page at www.facebook.com/projecthomelessconnect.arkansas</p> | <p>DAY SIXTEEN: People who are homeless struggle to keep their clothing clean. Place a dime in your jar for every load of laundry you complete in your home this week.</p> | <p>DAY SEVENTEEN: People experiencing homelessness lack access to showers. Place a quarter in your jar for every shower taken in your house today.</p> | <p>DAY EIGHTEEN: People who are homeless often time must sleep in places that are not secure. Place a dollar in the jar for each lock on your home.</p> |
| <p>DAY NINETEEN: For people experiencing homelessness sometimes it is difficult to find food. Place a dime in your jar for every meal you ate.</p>  | <p>DAY TWENTY: People experiencing homelessness are often stereotyped, labeled and judged. Place one dollar in your jar if you have ever judged someone at first glance.</p> | <p>DAY TWENTY ONE: RAISE AWARENESS! Share something you learned this week with a friend.</p> | <p>DAY TWENTY TWO: In the last 17 years over 1,657 hate crimes against homeless were reported in the US. Place a dime in your jar for every lock in your house.</p> | <p>DAY TWENTY THREE: People who are homeless often lack the means to prepare a meal. Place a dime in your jar for every appliance in your kitchen that helps prepare food.</p> | <p>DAY TWENTY FOUR: DID YOU KNOW? The average age of a homeless person in the US is nine years old. Place a dollar in your jar for every 9 year old in your family.</p> |
| <p>DAY TWENTY FIVE: People experiencing homelessness often lack health insurance. Place a quarter in your jar for everyone in your family with health insurance.</p> | <p>DAY TWENTY SIX: We have a responsibility to stand up for the rights of others. Find a way to support a local organization working to end homelessness.</p> | <p>DAY TWENTY SEVEN: From 2005-2011 the number of children identified as “doubled up” rose by 192%. Place fifty cents in your jar if you have your own bedroom.</p> | <p>DAY TWENTY EIGHT: People without homes have to walk long distances. Shoes wear out quickly. For every pair of shoes you own, place a dime in your jar.</p>  | <p>DAY TWENTY NINE: BE AN ADVOCATE! Ask someone to donate to your jar. Big or small ANYTHING HELPS!!</p> | <p>DAY THIRTY: Congratulations! You have completed the thirty day “change the world” homeless challenge! Please turn in your donations to Melissa or Jema for Project Homeless Connect!</p> |

WORK TO END HOMELESSNESS AND RAISE AWARENESS

Faulkner County works day in and day out, 365 days a year to end homelessness. But we cannot do it alone! It takes a community of committed individuals like YOU. So help us by taking

