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| After adjusting for factors such as income and education, an Ontarian in a moderately food insecure household will have health costs that are 49% higher than average. |  | Top three reasons GTA food bank clients missed a meal were to pay for rent (29%), phone bills (20%) and transportation (17%) |
| Over two-thirds of food bank clients in the GTA rely on provincial social assistance as their primary source of income. |  | 21% of single mothers in Canada raise their children while living in poverty. |
| 62% of food bank clients in the GTA report to having a disability or a serious illness |  | 1 in 5 racialized families live in poverty in Canada, as opposed to 1 in 20  non-racialized families. |
| Single parents families experience poverty at nearly three times the rate of the average Canadian |  | 23% of Toronto households spend over 50% of their income on rent and utilities. |
| There are over 8,700 people experiencing homelessness in Toronto. 13.6% of respondents said in an April 2018 survey that they were homeless because they were unable to pay rent. |  | Indigenous people in cities are 8 times more likely to experience homelessness than the general population. |

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| Justice, and only justice, you shall pursue  Deuteronomy 16:20 |  | Since there will never cease to be some in need on the earth, I therefore command you, “Open your hand to the poor and needy neighbor in your land.”  Deuteronomy 15:11 |
| But let justice roll down like waters,  and righteousness like an ever-flowing stream.  Amos 5:24 |  | Do not seek your own advantage, but that of the other.  1 Corinthians 10:24 |
| Happy are those who observe justice,  who do righteousness at all times.  Psalm 106:3 |  | learn to do good;  seek justice,  rescue the oppressed,  defend the orphan,  plead for the widow.  Isaiah 1:17 |
| Thus says the Lord of hosts: Render true judgments, show kindness and mercy to one another; do not oppress the widow, the orphan, the alien, or the poor; and do not devise evil in your hearts against one another.  Zechariah 7:9-10 |  | How does God’s love abide in anyone who has the world’s goods and sees a brother or sister in need and yet refuses help?  1 John 3:17 |
| “The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has chosen me to bring good news to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim liberty to the captives and recovery of sight to the blind; to set free the oppressed”  Luke 4:18 |  | If a brother or sister is naked and lacks daily food, and one of you says to them, “Go in peace; keep warm and eat your fill,” and yet you do not supply their bodily needs, what is the good of that?  James 2:15-16 |