

## **MORNING STAR CHURCH**

### **2008 BOWL-A-THON OVERVIEW**

Morning Star World Outreach Center Church Inc. is a non-denominational and evangelical Christian church and ministry that operates as a not-for-profit (501(c)(3)) organization. The mission of the church is to demonstrate the love of Jesus by helping people of all ages and ethnic backgrounds by bringing them into a personal relationship with God through saving faith in Jesus Christ. The means for accomplishing this is multi-faceted:

- ◆ Outreach to people in need (benevolence, meals, food pantries, etc.);
- ◆ Evangelistic and outreach ministry to the community, prisons, nursing homes, etc.;
- ◆ Ministry and missionary support (national and international);
- ◆ Seminars, conferences and other events with ministers from around the world;
- ◆ Christian counseling; and
- ◆ Church services and specific ministry by age group and/or lifestyle (children, youth, young adults, singles, seniors, etc.)

The Bowl-a-thon is a major fundraising effort that the church has undertaken annually for the past fourteen years. Businesses may participate by contributing either monetarily or by providing goods or services.

All gifts that are contributed from sources outside of the church's membership are used entirely for the fundraising purpose. The cost of the event is offset by the contributions of church members who also participate in the actual event. Individuals who are not church members are also welcome to participate by raising pledges and bowling during the event.

If anyone should have any questions concerning Morning Star Church's 2008 Bowl-A-Thon, or need further information, please contact Linda DiZanni, Director of Church Business Affairs at the Morning Star Church office, (847) 669-9800, ext. 102.