



## Los Angeles 2010

### From the Heartland to the Heart of LA



Amazing summer 2009 IOWAY Team

#### WHY go on a mission trip?

- Great Commission- "Make disciples of all nations"
- Puts faith into action
- Life and faith changing opportunity

#### WHO can be a 'missionary' to LA?

- Grades 9-12 (as of August 2009)
- College students and adults
- Maximum of 35

#### PURPOSE of the trip?

- Assist with Los Angeles Nehemiah Project
- Canvas neighborhoods - Mentor youth
- Group friendship and faith building
- Refurbish various churches
- Assist with Vacation Bible Schools

#### WHAT is the Nehemiah Project?

- Eleven churches in the Los Angeles inner city combined for support, training of lay leaders and reaching out to their neighbors with the love of Jesus

#### WHAT is the cost and what are the dates?

- June 29 – July 12, 2010
- \$1,495 —includes air fare, lodging, breakfasts, most evening meals & ground transportation. (Actual cost is \$1,795. Thanks to a generous LWML grant, each participant receives \$300 scholarship.)
- Additional \$450 scholarship to rostered and/or full time church workers.
- Suggestion: Contact your pastor and mission committee and ask them to help sponsor you. It is a great way for your congregation to be part of your mission trip and to personalize missions for them!
- If funding is a challenge, call Ellie Menz @ 515-386-8420



IOWAY Teamwork

#### WHERE will I stay?

- Residence Inn at El Segundo, CA.  
Check it out at [www.residenceinn.com](http://www.residenceinn.com)

#### HOW do I apply?

- Complete the enclosed registration form
- Write an essay (1-2 pages) answering the question, "Why do I want to be an IOWAY missionary?"
- Pay \$100 deposit (*If your registration arrives after all positions are filled, \$100 will be returned.*)
- REGISTRATION DEADLINE-April 21, 2010 or later (*If later, the airfare may be higher.*)



Excellent summer 2009 adult leaders

#### SAFETY concerns?

- All canvassing and activities done in teams
- All events are adult supervised
- Neighborhood activities during daytime only

#### PRE-TRIP requirements?

- Personal prayer and devotions
- Agree to participate in all group activities
- Training meetings

## IOWAY Registration: 2010

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
*(as it appears on your driver's license or ID)*  
 Male     Female

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_  
*(please print clearly)*

Birth date \_\_\_\_\_ Current grade in school \_\_\_\_\_  Adult

Home congregation and city \_\_\_\_\_

### Attendee consent

I agree to participate and cooperate with group activities on the Iowa District West IOWAY Los Angeles Mission Trip.

Signature	Date

### Parental consent

I hereby grant my child permission to attend the Iowa District West IOWAY Los Angeles Mission Trip.

Signature	Date

### Pastor consent

I have read the applicant's essay and recommend her/him as an Iowa District West IOWAY missionary.

Signature	Date

### Please send this registration form, \$100 and your essay to:

Ellie Menz  
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 Jefferson, IA 50129  
 515-386-8420  
[ellie.menz@idwlcms.org](mailto:ellie.menz@idwlcms.org)



Clean-up project in Watts/Compton area

Make check or money order payable to:  
 Iowa District West – LA Summer Trip



Building a playground area at St. Paul Lutheran Church in Los Angeles, CA

**DEADLINE:**

**April 21, 2010**  
*First come - first serve*