

## MICAH 2009 Sustainers Drive

Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_ Daytime Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ Congregation \_\_\_\_\_

### MICAH Sustainers Enrollment Form (Two Options):

€ Yes! I will mail in a monthly contribution to MICAH of:

\_\_ \$12 \_\_ \$15 \_\_ \$20 \_\_ \$25 \_\_ other: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (please enclose check for first month)

[OR]

€ Yes! I would like to become a MICAH Sustainer by enrolling in the monthly giving program through automatic withdrawal

Electronic Funds Transfer – Authorization Agreement for Direct Payments (ACH Debits)

I (we) hereby authorize MICAH to initiate debit entries to my (our) Checking Account or Savings Account for the amount listed below at the depository financial institution named below or on the enclosed voided check. I (we) acknowledge that the origination of ACH transactions to my (our) account must comply with the provisions of U.S. law.

Please debit \$ \_\_\_\_\_ from the selected account monthly. I would like to begin in \_\_\_\_\_ (month).

Please debit my account (choose 1): \_\_\_\_\_ on the 1<sup>st</sup> or \_\_\_\_\_ on the 16<sup>th</sup>

~ **Checking Account: ATTACH A VOIDED CHECK** (not a deposit slip)

or

~ **Savings Account: ATTACH A SAVINGS DEPOSIT SLIP** or fill in the information below.

Routing Number \_\_\_\_\_ Account Number \_\_\_\_\_

This authorization is to remain in full force and effect until MICAH receives written notification from me (or either of us) of its termination in such time and in such manner as to afford MICAH and the depository financial institution a reasonable opportunity to act on it.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

### Annual Gift Form

€ Yes! I want to be a MICAH Sustainer, but I prefer to make an Annual Donation.

€ I have enclosed a check for : € \$120 € \$250 € \$500 € \$1000 € Other \_\_\_\_\_

**REMEMBER: Your Contribution to MICAH is Tax Deductible**

Please mail this form with A VOIDED CHECK or savings deposit slip to:

**MICAH, 1927 N. 4<sup>th</sup> St., Milwaukee, WI 53212**

Double the impact of your contribution by checking with your employer  
to find out if they match charitable contributions made by employees.

Please remember us in you will.



## MICAH's 2007 Sustainers Drive



MICAH is about people of faith coming together to act powerfully to live out our deepest values and to bring racial and economic justice to Milwaukee and Wisconsin. MICAH has just launched its People's Campaign to deliver quality jobs and solid economic development to alleviate unemployment, underemployment, and concentrated poverty in Milwaukee.

MICAH has already brought great benefits to Milwaukee. MICAH led a coalition that won a "community benefits agreement" – ensuring that the new development in the Park East corridor will result in good jobs and quality housing for people in the City of Milwaukee. MICAH has meant better schools and lower class sizes, home ownership, available drug and alcohol treatment for low-income people, accountability for police and city officials, Holy Ground efforts in the neighborhoods of MICAH congregations, and much more.

Together with other WISDOM faith communities, we have won Treatment Instead of Prison for non-violent people with drug problems. We have fought for adequate resources for all our public schools, and we have defended the rights of immigrants.

Now, MICAH looks to you to become a MICAH Sustainer. Our goal, to bring compassion and fairness to Milwaukee and Wisconsin, is not an easy one. As you know, MICAH is committed to justice work for the long haul – and we need our members to come together to make sure we have the resources to meet our commitment.

### What is a MICAH Sustainer?

- A MICAH Sustainer makes a monthly contribution to MICAH.
- Each MICAH Sustainer is asked to decide how much they can reasonably afford (a minimum level of \$10 per month).
- By filling out the form on the opposite side of this sheet, you can easily have your contribution debited from your bank account each month.
- MICAH's strength comes from our numbers and from our solidarity.
- As a MICAH Sustainer, you will receive a quarterly report on the work of MICAH, and you will be listed in our annual Ad Book, and at our large gatherings.

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### Why Does MICAH Need MICAH Sustainers?

MICAH's voice is needed today more than ever. MICAH's voice must be heard in City Hall, at the County Courthouse, in Madison, and on our streets. The voice of compassion and fairness must ring out. Wisconsin needs to hear that people of faith are people who care about racial and economic justice; that MICAH will stand up for our children, our elderly and those who are in need.

With your help, MICAH can continue to have a top-notch staff that can reach out to every sector in our City. MICAH can continue to provide world-class leadership training to our members. MICAH can be more self-reliant, not needing to depend on foundations or grants to continue our work.

MICAH's strength comes from our numbers and from our solidarity. Just imagine: if MICAH had 350 sustainers giving an average of \$12 each month, we would be generating enough to pay the wages of an organizer. MICAH sustainers increase our power in the struggle for racial and economic justice.

**For more information about MICAH,  
visit our web site: [www.micahempowers.org](http://www.micahempowers.org)  
or call the MICAH office at 414.264.0805**