

Join us for this informational and instructive seminar!

CLERGY TAX SEMINAR

Saturday, January 31, 2026

11:00 am - 4:00 pm (EST)

Students, clergy, and anyone who deals with clergy finances are invited to participate in this online Zoom seminar.

1. Learn how to prepare clergy taxes correctly and legally.
2. Comply with regulations while maximizing tax deductions.
3. Earn 0.3 CEUs - for the first 2 sessions only.

Registration and Cost:

Registration is \$40 per person (generally nonrefundable to keep fees and overhead low). Current BAML, BTS, and ESR students may attend the seminar at no cost, although registration is still required to allow us to provide you with web access to the seminar.

Schedule:

11:00am - 12:30pm EST (0.15 CEUs):
Everything You Ever Wanted to Know About Clergy Taxation, part 1.

1:00pm - 2:30pm EST (0.15 CEUs):
Everything You Ever Wanted to Know About Clergy Taxation, part 2.

3:00pm - 4:00pm EST: Completing the Clergy Tax Return.

Registration Deadline:

January 23, 2026

For quality reasons, registrations may be capped at **eighty-five people**

Register online:

www.bethanyseminary.edu/brethren-academy



Rev. Deb Oskin has been doing clergy tax returns since 1989, when her husband left seminary to pastor a small rural Church of the Brethren congregation. As a pastor's wife and later as a tax professional, she learned the tax problems and pitfalls associated with the IRS's identification of clergy as "hybrid employees." In 2011, after twelve years with H&R Block, Deb left to start her own tax practice, specializing in clergy taxes. Clergy clients now make up 95 percent of her client base. She has been teaching and presenting nationally on clergy taxation to clergy, treasurers and administrators, and tax pros since 2004. Other than the fact that she really likes to teach, Deb does this because of her deep belief that clergy can devote more of their energy to ministry if they aren't stressed by tax debt. Deb is an experienced presenter, and despite the complexity of the material, you'll find yourself laughing. Learn and enjoy!