

Our Guest Faculty...

Richard Hammar, J.D., LL.M., CPA

Richard Hammar is an attorney, CPA, and best-selling author specializing in legal and tax issues for churches and clergy. A graduate of Harvard Law School, he is the author of more than 100 books, including *Pastor, Church & Law* and the annual *Church and Clergy Tax Guide*. He also writes the *Church Law & Tax Report* newsletter, has contributed articles to numerous journals and publications, is a frequent speaker at legal and tax conferences, and has taught law at a number of seminaries.

Michael K. Whitehead, Esquire

Mike heads The Whitehead Law Firm LLC located in Kansas City, Missouri. Mike is a trial lawyer with over thirty-five years of experience specializing in working with faith based not-for-profits as management or legal counsel.

Pleasant Valley Baptist Church Security Team

Cheryl Kohlsteadt, administrator, Rick Bean, security team leader, Aaron Hendershot, a member of local law enforcement and Becky Moyer, a risk management advisor bring years of experience and expertise in church safety and security.

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...is pleased to present the

Annual Tax and Finance Update for Churches and Ministries

**Friday, May 6, 2016
Overland Park, KS**



Featuring
**Richard Hammar, J.D., LL.M.,
CPA**
with
Local legal and security experts

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This seminar will cover:

This respected and experienced attorney will provide practical insights into the latest national and local court decisions and political trends affecting nonprofits, including churches. He will also share preventative law tips to protect your ministry.

The tax and finance update section will cover recent tax developments affecting nonprofits, provide an update on the clergy housing allowance and review commonly overlooked forms of taxable income. In addition, Rich Hammar will discuss the required substantiation of charitable contributions, deductibility of designated gifts, and the use of designated donations for other purposes. He will also describe how a church should respond to an embezzlement and discuss 10 payroll tax reporting errors made by churches.

Representatives of the security team of a large metro area church, a member of law enforcement and a risk management advisor will overview threats involving an active shooter and child abduction and provide some guidelines for assessing and establishing a response plan. They also will share their expertise in ways to protect the church in these situations as well as during a fire, weather or medical emergency.

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Agenda

Registration

11:30 a.m.-noon

Defending Religious Freedom

Noon-1:00pm*

Tax & Finance Update—Part I

1:00p.m.-1:55 p.m.

Break and Networking

1:55p.m.-2:05 p.m.

Tax & Finance Update—Part II

2:05p.m.- 3:00p.m.

Break and Networking

3:00p.m.-3:10p.m.

Church Security in Uncertain Times

3:10p.m.-4:20p.m.

Adjournment

4:20p.m.-4:30p.m

*** A box lunch will be provided**

Registrations must be made via e-mail **by Tuesday May 2nd, 2016**

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\$40 in advance

(\$35 for each additional person)

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Lunch included in registration fee

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