



Seminar for Deacons, Financial Advisors, and Trustees

Thursday, June 6, 2019- Heritage Community Center:

3558 US-62, Millersburg, OH 44654

Saturday, June 8, 2019- Claywood Event Center:

13920 N 1100 W, Nappanee, IN 46550

Our church groups believe in offering counsel and support to members who struggle financially. Deacons and other individuals are asked to serve as financial counselors, advisors, or trustees. Helping a struggling brother or family in this way is an act of service, but often the problems are challenging and complex. Personal, financial, and spiritual issues are usually mixed together.

Anabaptist Foundation has received requests to provide teaching for church leaders, financial advisors, and trustees who serve as financial counselors in our church settings. The **Seminar for Deacons, Financial Advisors, and Trustees** addresses this need and provides basic training for those who work with, or have been asked to work with, those who have financial difficulties.

NOTE: This seminar is for those who <u>work with and help</u> other people with financial difficulties. It is <u>not</u> designed for individuals in our church communities who are personally struggling with financial difficulties.

Cost: There is no charge for the seminar. Ordained brethren (bishops, ministers, deacons) and those who have served or are serving as financial trustees/advisors are welcome to attend free of charge in appreciation for their service to the church.

Registration: Seating is limited, so <u>advance registration is required by **May 24**</u>. To register, call Sierra Herr: 570-468-1268 or email: *sierraherr@afweb.org*

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8:00 AM	Registration and Seating	
8:30 AM	Opening	
8:45 AM	Session 1	Principles of Stewardship – Amos Kauffman, Lewisburg, PA
9:00 AM	Session 2	A Vision for Stewardship in the Church Community –Gary Miller, Caldwell, ID
9:45 AM	Break	
10:00 AM	Session 3	Relating to Those in Need – Marvin Wengerd, Walnut Creek, OH
10:45 AM	Break	
10:55 AM	Session 4 Breakouts	Forming and Serving on a Committee* –Marvin Wengerd Handling the Church Medical Fund –David G. Martin, Richland, PA
11:40 AM	Announcements and Lunch	
1:00 PM	Session 5 Breakouts	BudgetingA Critical Component of Recovery* –Lyle Musser, Denver, PA Debt from a Biblical Perspective –Gary Miller
1:40 PM	Break	
1:50 PM	Session 6 Breakouts	Require Accountability; Achieve Restoration * –Marvin Wengerd The Role of the Deacon –David G. Martin
2:30 PM	Break	Snack served
2:45 PM	Session 7	Discussion groups
3:30 PM	Session 8	Proactive Leadership –Gary Miller
4:15 PM	Closing comments	
4:30 PM	Dismissal	

*Recommended for first-time attendees