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Good morning Ms. Preston,

I hope you are having a great day so far. It has just recently been brought to my attention that you are seeking public comments regarding Form 990. I have just learned that churches and other religious organizations are not required to complete the form. I'm not entirely sure if that is correct, I have never personally investigated to situation. But by chance if it is correct, I believe all organizations no matter what affiliation should be required to file the form 990.

With the national debt ever expanding, we as a national should all be doing our part to reduce said debt. We need the ability to see where our nation's money is going. I find it unsettling that some of the "mega churches" could be bringing in up two two million a year, and every dollar going through their doors are unaccounted for.

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Mega Church
2000 members per session
average donation $10
2 session min per week
52 weeks a year

$2,080,000
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*The above figure does not account for revivals or holiday*

I believe we all should be required to show an honest account of our finances and taxed appropriately. But regardless to being taxed appropriately, lets start with us all being held accountable for our income.

Best wishes,

Michael Cody Parks