

# Pacific Mount Olive

*Church of God in Christ*

Changing Lives, Touching Hearts and Restoring Hope

*Superintendent Milton L. Joyner, Interim Pastor*

Mr. Anthony L. Spence  
5225 Canyon Crest Dr.  
Ste. 71-250  
Riverside, CA 92507  
October 28, 2013

Mrs. Dora Vernelle Ballard  
4816 Parkglen Ave.  
Los Angeles, CA 90062

Dear Mrs. Ballard,

On October 27, 2013, the members of Pacific Mount Olive Church of God In Christ held a Meeting of Members pursuant to Article 3, Section 3, of the by-laws. There were four announcements for this meeting and the names of the members authorizing the meeting were mentioned. I have been told by several others that you deemed the meeting unlawful and unauthorized. Mrs. Ballard, if you now don't understand the provisions of Article 3, Section 3, I suggest you contact your attorney for clarification. It is the same by-law that the members of the church use to hold a Meeting of Members on April 8, 2011, of which our former pastor, Geric Kennebrew claimed it was invalid. As a matter of fact, YOU WERE THE MODERATOR!!!

During the recent Meeting of Members, after establishing that the required quorum had been met, the members, by majority ballot vote present and proxy, voted Superintendent Milton L. Joyner as interim pastor of the church. He will begin officiating services this week.

Secondly, the members, by majority vote present and proxy voted to remove you as chairperson of the trustee board. In your place, the members voted myself, Mr. Anthony L. Spence, as the new chairman of the board of trustees. Mrs. Ballard, it has sadden us to come to this conclusion though for the best interest of the church. The reasons for your removal are as follows:

1. Holding a vote to remove a trustee board member for addressing serious church matters.
2. Unlawfully firing myself as the church organist without a legitimate board action.
3. Merging church services with Crouch Memorial church without the approval of the board or members.
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4. Adding your name to the church's bank account while your husband is a signer without board approval. "UNETHICAL"
5. Writing letters of intimidation to two church employees, Mr. Damon Ray and Mr. Angel Archangel to unduly influence their participation in the Meeting of Members. You and our church could be sued if you were to fire them for exercising their legal rights as members.
6. Refusing to accept the petition concerning issues with our finance department from the members to whom you are accountable to.
7. Refusing to turn over all financial documents to our chief financial officer, Mr. Bobbie Dotson.
8. Refusing to comply with the "Official Request for Documents" sent to you by certified mail from trustee board member, Mrs. Viola Pack

Mrs. Ballard you have figuratively thrown our by-laws out the window. You have also committed some of the same type of actions as former Pastor Kennebrew. The following is what you wrote concerning Elder Kennebrew in one of your letters from 2011 titled "CONCERNS OF THE MEMBERS": Probably the greatest concern of the members of Mount Olive is that Pastor Kennebrew makes critical decisions that affect the church without involving the Trustee Board or the members of the church. He does not seem to feel that he is accountable in any way to the members, because he is pastor. This has built a bridge of distrust that is painful and devastating to the members. Furthermore, he doesn't explain his motives for what he so presumptuously does."

Mrs. Ballard your recent actions have baffled most of the members. I am troubled as well because you and I worked so well together for the last few years. I'm not sure what is going on with you personally because I once knew you as a stickler for following the by-laws and seeking board approval for your actions. You have provided years of invaluable service to our church and we are grateful. I will continue to love, respect, and pray for you.

Furthermore, the members voted to remove Mrs. Barbara Stewart and Mrs. Edna Smith as trustee board members. Mr. Charles Miller was elected to the new board. I am asking all board members who were removed by the members to no longer transact business on behalf of Pacific Mount Olive Church of God in Christ, Inc. Since you and Mr. Ballard are on the church's bank account, the new board will authorize you to pay all debts that are normally paid on the first Sunday of the month. After Sunday, November 3, 2013, please immediately arrange to remove your names from all of the church's bank accounts.

If you have any further questions, please contact me at 213-798-2320.

May God Bless You

  
Anthony L. Spence  
Chairman of the Board

cc: Superintendent Milton L. Joyner, Interim Pastor  
cc: Deacon Bobbie Dotson, CFO, Trustee Board Member  
cc: Mrs. Viola Pack, Trustee Board Member  
cc: Mr. Charles Miller, Trustee Board Member  
cc: Mr. Alton Ballard, Trustee Board Member  
cc: Mrs. Barbara Stewart  
cc: Mrs. Edna Smith

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Mrs. Barbara Stewart  
4495 Don Tomaso Dr.  
Apt. 2  
Los Angeles, CA 90073

Dear Mrs. Stewart,

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In addition, the members, by majority vote present and proxy voted to remove you as member of the trustee board. You are no longer authorized to act on behalf of the church. Your removal is due to your support of the actions of Mrs. Dora Vernelle Ballard that were not compliant to the by-laws. In your place, the members voted Mr. Charles Miller onto the board of trustees. The members elected, myself, Mr. Anthony L. Spence, as the new chairman of the board of trustees.

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Mrs. Edna Smith  
1241 W. 90th St.  
Los Angeles, CA 90044

Dear Mrs. Smith,

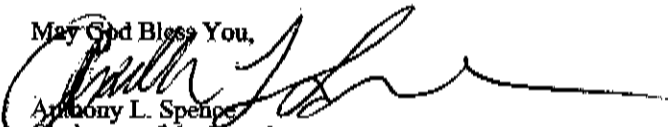
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