

Date: Fri, Jun 12, 2015 at 1:44 PM
Subject: Re: SECTION 6 - EXCLUSION OF VOTING MEMBERSHIP
To: Kate Smith <kate.smithfl@gmail.com>

До свещеник Тодор Димитров,
Църковните настоятели
и членовете на църквата "Св. Николай",
Идвам с гореща молба към четиримата:
Георги Киров, Ивайло Захариев, Надя Мей и Таня Милкова
да оставят църквата да си върши работата през настоящата
година, след която ще разберем дали тя върви по Божия път.
Много вярвам, че и четиримата приятели ще уважат моята
официална молба към тях.
Много моля избраното настоятелство да не предприема никакви
мерки ако уважаемите лица изпълнят моята молба.
С обич в Господа, + Митрополит Йосиф

On Fri, Jun 12, 2015 at 5:57 PM, Kate Smith <kate.smithfl@gmail.com> wrote:
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Your Eminence:

Thank You for Your prompt reply to us all and the superb way of handling a complicated situation with such grace and diplomacy. We all should take a good lesson.

We are approaching You today to seek further Your advice and direction in regards to our actions to put a stop once and for all and to prevent any such disruptions from happening in the future.

The majority of our Parish are duly upset with the conduct of these 4 members, listed below, who were behind these disturbing events and are also concerned that these members would continue to stand in opposition to any decision rendered by this Membership and will continue to publicly spread gossip, strife and malicious rumors.

GEORGI KIROV
IVAILO ZAHARIEV
NADYA MAY
TANYA MILKOVA

In reviewing of the Bylaws adopted by this Membership, our next "Call To Action" would be to Exclude them from the Voting Membership Body.

And here is the basis for our request of their removal, directly taken from our own Bylaws:

SECTION 6 - EXCLUSION OF VOTING MEMBERSHIP

The Priest or the Parish Council, in conjunction with advising the Diocesan Prelate shall initiate action to remove from voting membership any person who:

- a) directly or indirectly defies the dogma or canons of the Orthodox Church, and/or
- b) directly or indirectly obstructs those decisions rendered by the Diocesan Prelate or by the majority of the members of this Parish, and/or

c) directly or indirectly causes such disruption so as to affect adversely the spiritual life of this Parish.

Again, we are humbly turning to You, Your Eminence, for your wise guidance.

Respectfully,

Kate Smith-Barkley