

PROVIDENT PROTESTANT REFORMED CHURCH
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Dear Bro. Edgar,

We were deeply saddened upon knowing of your decision to stop attending church since last August. We missed your fellowship with us especially during Adult Society Class wherein you're the one who is leading the men of PPRC in translating the Church Order in Tagalog. We have exerted efforts to encourage and bring you back in attending church at PPRC but it seems that you have been greatly affected by the controversy.

With regards to the points you have mentioned in your letter about the controversy which led you to become adamant in not joining us again. First, we would like you to know that we are respecting your position on this matter. But honestly, we felt brokenhearted to hear from you that you have already lost confidence even to the Missionaries of the PRCA.

For us, this should not have been the case, because as far as their sermons are concerned, their preaching is in sound doctrine. They should have not been associated with some ministers in the PRCA that have in the past had questionable and erroneous doctrine. With all due fairness to our beloved Missionaries here in the PRCP, they have been with us for more than a decade. And they have been laboring with us for the sake of the propagation of the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ.

You have been a bonafide member of PPRC, and being so must have brought this matter to the consistory before deciding to stop attending. But we understand, because as you have said you're confused back then on raising a protest which is outside our PRCP Federation. But bringing your concerns early to us might be beneficial. Because we could have provided you with an apt explanation and advice. This might have also avoided escalations amongst our brethren in the church.

As much as we desire to help you to make a decision as you had requested before the end of your letter, what we can see and understand from your letter and from your actions is that you have already made a stand. The Council had already visited you and had some discussions with you, some of them even already had a debate with you in the messenger, in order to give you some important points to consider. The result is no different. You still did not agree with them. You only confirmed that you already made up your mind. Therefore, there is no need that we answer all your questions anymore.

In view of all this, we therefore are wondering if your letter to us is really a request to terminate your membership in our church and thus that you are asking for your dismissal papers. We ask you to please let us know.

In Christ's service,



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PPRC Vice-all