Full Gospel Family:

Our beloved fellowship believes that your health and safety is an extreme priority. We are monitoring the develops closely and staying in contact with health agencies and experts to ensure your headquarters staff and our upcoming conference and worship experiences are safe.

Due to the numerous warnings which have been issued by the Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), Full Gospel Baptist Church Fellowship International encourages everyone to heed the advice of the CDC and US State Department.

- **Campus Cleaning:** Venues have been requested to extensively prepare for your arrival in coming weeks by thoroughly cleaning the facilities where we will gather. Additionally, we have also asked them to enhanced their already thorough cleaning procedures by providing hand sanitizing stations, soap, paper towels and the like.

- **Greeting:** While we are a family and always excited to embrace each other, we are asking that you keep physical greetings to a minimum head nods, waves and even just speaking to reduce person to person contact.

- **Practicing Good Health Habits:** As advised by the healthcare professionals, please wash your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds, especially after going to the bathroom; before eating; and after blowing your nose, coughing or sneezing. If soap and water are not readily available, use an alcohol-based hand sanitizer with at least 60% alcohol. Always wash hands with soap and water if hands are visibly dirty. Also, refrain from touching your face, mouth and eyes when in contact with such things as door handles, money or any potentially contaminated surfaces.

The CDC has recommended that those with weak immune systems and preexisting health conditions may have to consider reducing their person to person contact. While everyone is welcome in our worship experiences, we would like to remind you to exercise great precautions.

In the meantime, consider 2 Timothy 1:7 which says, "For God has not given us a spirit of fear, but of power and of love and of a sound mind." As believers, we have the authority which Christ has given us to pray against the spread of any disease and to pray for healing for those who have the Coronavirus. We also have the ability through His Spirit to bring peace and comfort amid anxiety and confusion by reaching out to those in need.

Take a moment and look around you. Who are those people in your life that may be thankful for a helping hand during this time? Offer to run errands for those who have high-risk health concerns or send a note of encouragement. The tendency is to go into a self-protective mode and isolate; however, we can show others that they are not alone. How the Fellowship loves well is important.

Through it all, pray and ask the Lord to point us back to His truth in all we say and do.

We look forward to worshipping with you soon.