



## A STATEMENT FROM PASTOR GLENN ABOUT THE FLU SEASON AND CORONAVIRUS:

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Family and Friends of Bayside:

With the spread of the coronavirus making its way throughout the world - and now here in Maryland - I want to let you know that our staff and volunteers have been taking steps and preparing to ensure the safety of all who worship and visit at Bayside. We have developed a plan of how we will deal with the Coronavirus and - as needed - these plans are subject to change as new information becomes available.

The best place for you to get updates is to go to our church website at [www.baysidebaptist.com](http://www.baysidebaptist.com) and click the information tab. You can also check out our Facebook Page at: [www.facebook.com/bbcchesapeakebeach](https://www.facebook.com/bbcchesapeakebeach). At these sites you will learn what Bayside is doing to take the necessary precautions and to be in front of this situation. We will also try to update you through group text messages, emails and phone calls as needed.

I want to assure you that we have implemented increased cleaning and disinfecting throughout our facility. We have a team that will wipe down everything before and after services, especially in our children's areas. We will have stations with hand sanitizer around the facilities. Of course, if you are sick or have symptoms, please stay home and worship there. For more information, please also check out our safety protocol information sheet located on our website at: [www.baysidebaptist.com/](http://www.baysidebaptist.com/)

For now, we are still having all of our bible study and regular services. This includes (Sundays) 9:00 Bible Fellowship; 10:30 Worship and (Wednesdays) Mid-Week Recharge. If cancelling services and/or bible study becomes necessary, Bayside will be live streaming our services! We will do our best to provide ministry opportunities for your entire family, no matter what. We will offer opportunities for the children, teens, worship and, of course, we will provide teaching from Gods Word.

Your staff, elders, deacons and leadership team have been working hard to make your spiritual care a focus in the midst of everything. We absolutely love each of you. I want to encourage you during these challenging days to remember who you are! You are a follower of Jesus Christ! Why do I remind you of that? I believe Followers of Jesus walk into situations when everyone else walks out! Look around you for needs--senior citizens, handicapped, fear-ridden, isolated--then go be the hands and feet of Jesus! I love each of you dearly. God has got this! Go be Difference Makers!

In Christ!

Pastor Glenn

Resources:

The WORD of GOD!

Check out: Luke 12:22-31

<https://www.thegospelcoalition.org/.../what-we-know-coronavi.../>

<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html>

<https://www.calverthealth.org/>

<https://www.chesapeakebeachmd.gov/>