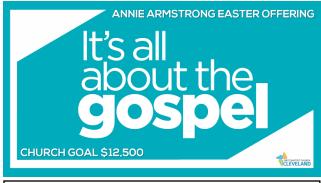






## OUR FINANCIAL REPORT Receipts March 29 ......\$ 27,326.00 Weekly Budget Goal......\$ 22,182.65 Year-To-Date Receipts .....\$ 254,899.69 Budget Requirements To Date.....\$ 288,374.45 Building Fund Receipts March 29.....\$2,830.00 Building Fund Receipts 2014-20 .....\$ 2,128,458.20 Principal Payment in March.....\$ 9,803.51 Interest Payment in March.....\$ 10.34 CSB Loan Balance as of March 9.....\$ 0.00 (Hollingsworth, Nichols, Robertson & Gray Funds) Total Loan Balance.....\$ 259,953.00 Interest paid 2020 ......\$ 188.42 SUNDAY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE Members present ..... Visitors..... Total .....





THURSDAY NIGHT REBROADCAST April 9 - Malcolm Dye

> 101 North Bolivar Avenue Cleveland, Mississippi 38732 (Returned Service Request)

## **Under The Steeple**

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## Dear Church Family,

Given the current state of our country, state, and county, we will be continuing our postponement of all church-wide activities here on our campus and will seek to meet together online through social media and on TV. Please continue to check out our website at www.underthesteeple.com and our Facebook page for all information regarding any additional information and future schedule changes.

Also, with Easter Sunday coming up, we are planning on streaming a Good Friday Service (Friday, April 10 at 12pm) and one Easter Service (Sunday, April 12 at 11am)—no evening service. Please disregard the mailout that was sent out which says that we will be meeting here at the church. These mailouts went out before the extended isolation period was set by President Trump. We have posted a NEW promotional image that is circulating on Facebook and if you could, please like and share that image to help us get the word out. I'm so looking forward to Easter, and I hope you are as well. Nothing could ever dampen our excitement for celebrating the resurrection of Christ! In fact, it's the resurrection of Jesus that puts our current situation in perspective!

I also want to let you know about an important change we have made regarding our church office hours. With the spread of COVID-19, we have decided to close the office until further notice. This is to insure not only the staff's safety, but also others coming into the church building. Also, because of our exposure to those potentially with the virus, we have been advised by medical experts to distance ourselves from each other for several days. That means that during normal office hours, no one will consistently be here at the church. Therefore, if you have a need, please contact your deacon or email the church at fbccleve@cableone.net or email me personally at fbcbrad@cableone.net. Please know that our heart is to serve YOU during this time, and we will continue to do our best to do just that. Also, in sending in your offering, please know you will either have to mail it in or use our online offering which can be found on our website.

Church, this is a difficult time for everyone. But now more than ever we have to continue to stay connected, serve one another, and most importantly, pray for one another. God is still in control, and He has a great purpose in all of this. So keep your chin and head up, church! And let's continue to trust the Lord and cherish the gospel of Jesus Christ above all! Love you and miss you! #fbcstayingtogether

"<sup>3</sup>I thank my God in all my remembrance of you, <sup>4</sup> always in every prayer of mine for you all making my prayer with joy, <sup>5</sup> because of your partnership in the gospel from the first day until now." Philippians 1:3-4

In Christ,

Brad Beckwith (Lead Pastor)

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