December 23, 2021

Dear Families & Friends,

Merry Christmas to you and all of your family members! We hope and pray that you and your loved ones are doing well and remaining Covid free. The week of Dec. 13th all tests were negative, unfortunately we have one positive among staff this week. Again, thanks be to God because of vaccines and boosters the case is mild. We again, are very grateful that no Residents tested positive.

As you are well aware because of the saturation of the news media the newest variant Omicron transmission rate is extremely high. We find it necessary to continue with the guidelines we have had in place for the past several weeks.

Visitation guidelines remain the same. Please call directly:

2nd & 3rd Floors – Sr. Cecilia 4th & 5th Floors – Sr. Mary William

Please continue to call the Sisters, not the Nurses Stations, because a rapid antigen test is required before visitations. For your 1:00pm visit, please arrive at 12:40pm for testing. There will be no 2:00pm visit, please arrive at 2:15pm for a 2:30pm visit. We appreciate your cooperation.

Just a few reminders:

- Residents are able to leave the building, we count on you to assure their safety. Again, please coordinate these outings with Sr. Cecilia and Sr. Mary William.
- If the Resident stays outside the facility for more than 24 hours, they will need to stay in their rooms for one to two days under observation.
- Masks must be worn during the entire visit and no food or drink during the visit.
- You may bring food for your loved ones to bring up to their rooms, please do not bring perishable foods.
- If you have packages to drop off for your loved one, there is a table in the front lobby. Please make sure your loved one's name is clearly marked and taped on the package. This will avoid mishaps.
- Visits remain in the Conference Room.
- Any other questions regarding visitations, please call me at 651-227-0336

We will continue to pray for the safety and well being of all. We ask God to bless you with peace and joy at this beautiful time of year. Once again, Merry Christmas to you all.

God bless you!

Mother Theresa

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