

August 26, 2020

Dear Families & Friends,

Just a quick up-date from our second round of testing this week. The results are all in. One more Resident tested positive this week for a total of 16 Residents positive. So far many of our Residents have had mild cases. Sr. Maria Francis (yes, our former Mother Superior) is here helping out on the COVID floor. The Residents are delighted to be the recipients of her wonderful care.

This week we had 3 more staff test positive for a total of 19 staff positive. Some of our staff who have tested positive are now recovered and the rest are still home in isolation. All the Little Sisters tested negative.

We continue to follow all CDC and MDH guidelines very carefully. All Residents and Staff are being screened daily for symptoms of the virus. We are working at adding more hand sanitizers throughout the building and reminding everyone to remember the 3Ws: **wear** masks, **wash** hands and **watch** distance.

On a positive note, the Residents will be able to watch Mass on the in-house television channel on Sunday Aug. 30<sup>th</sup> for the feast of our Foundress, Saint Jeanne Jugan. We encourage you to visit with your loved ones by telephone.

Thank you very much for your continued support and your generosity at this time. As things change we will update you. Let us ask St. Jeanne Jugan to intercede for us for an end to this virus.

Gratefully in Christ,

*Sr. Theresa Louisa, lsp*

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Little Sisters of the Poor

We could use donations of the following:

Bleach  
Hand Sanitizer  
Disposable Isolation Gowns  
Glove  
Sanitizing Wipes  
Surgical Masks  
N95 Masks  
Face Shields  
Disposable Hinged Containers  
Individual Wrapped Treats