

November 10, 2021

Dear Families & Friends,

We hope this finds you well. It is with a heavy heart, that I have to announce that four staff members have tested positive for Covid-19.

As you may be aware the positivity rate for Ramsey County is 7.6%. The transmission rate is high throughout the state and Covid is rampant at this time. This past Monday was the single highest count of Covid cases since last December in Minnesota; which is rather surprising since we were all doing so well.

Because of this it is necessary to place Holy Family Home on temporary lockdown. We are testing all Staff, Sisters, and Residents today. Per the Minnesota Department of Health, we will need to have two rounds of negative testing's before re-opening for visitations.

While the Residents are in temporary lockdown, they should not leave the building for any type of visitations or appointments. If you have any questions regarding this or for Compassionate Visits, please contact the Sisters by calling 651-227-0336:

2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Floors – Sr. Cecilia #1701

4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Floors – Sr. Mary William #1745

We appreciate your cooperation, understanding and patience as we continue to work together to keep your loved ones safe during this time. We continue to pray daily for the health and safety of one another and for an end to this pandemic. I'm hoping that my next letter brings good news.

May God bless you!

*Mother Theresa*

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