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Dear Jeanne Jugan Community,

We would like to keep the Jeanne Jugan Residence Community updated as new information becomes available through the RI Department of Health (DOH). The cases of COVID 19 continue to increase with the increased access to testing sites. Unfortunately nursing homes have been overly represented in the number of positive cases and fatalities in Rhode Island.

Per the RI Department of Health, we continue to screen and test Residents and staff who become symptomatic. Most recently, we have had three staff members who tested positive. We are grateful that they are feeling well, and we have taken all the safeguards to protect our staff and Residents per the RI DOH. All the staff and Residents may be tested in the near future for screening purposes. We recognize that COVID 19 presents differently in individuals, and there may be a possibility that individuals without symptoms may test positive.



We have continued the directives per the state with regard to the frequent disinfecting of high-touch areas, the use of personal protective equipment, good hand hygiene practices, and social distancing. Protocols regarding no visitors, no packages, and no flowers will continue for the safety and protection of our staff and residents. Virtual visits are being scheduled with the Residents daily. Please contact Sr. Angela at 723-4314.

We would like to thank our staff, Residents, families, friends and benefactors for their enduring support and commitment to the mission of the Little Sisters of the

Poor during this difficult time. We are grateful for your support of prayer too!

Sr. Patricia Mary lsp

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