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To: All family members of a current Resident at St. Martin's and to our friends

Unfortunately, I want to inform you that we received word today that one of our staff has tested positive for COVID-19 and the person will be on quarantine for 14 days and then be retested twice before being able to return to work after 2 negative tests. Fortunately, they had no direct resident contact.

We have been in touch with the Maryland Department of Health, and continue to follow their guidance, as well as, the guidelines from Governor Hogan, the Centers for Disease Control and CMS.

All staff are wearing their face masks and practicing social distancing, and we continue to remind staff of good handwashing and infection control measures and to ask them to reasonably limit their contacts when out in the local community when they are off duty so that they don't pick up the virus and become carriers at home and at work.

In spite of the reopening taking place in our State, our quarantine is still in effect. As a reminder, as some individuals are assuming that because the cities are starting to open up they can come here to visit our residents more freely, but we are not able to allow visits at this time. We will remain on lockdown. However, window visits and phone chats are good ways to keep in contact with your loved one at this time.

The care and safety of our Residents remains our top priority and we ask that you join us in prayer that the Lord will stop this Pandemic worldwide, so that our lives can return to more normalcy for all.

Most sincerely,

Mother Joseph Caroline, I.s.p.
Superior