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

Every day we strive to do what is best for the health and safety of our beloved Residents. While working to foster brighter days, an important part of our "new normal" is continually monitoring the latest developments of the COVID-19 pandemic. With news of the global spread of the Delta variant and evolving guidance from the CDC and other state and local health agencies, we know you may still have concerns.

I want to assure you that we continue to take COVID-19 very seriously and early on implemented measures to help control the spread of the virus. Again this week our testing of all unvaccinated employees was negative.

One of the most significant components of our ongoing efforts is championing COVID-19 vaccines and I am happy to report that 78% of our employees are fully vaccinated and 3% partially vaccinated. While vaccines are critical, we know we cannot rely on them alone to get us through this pandemic. That is why we continue to follow the safety and infection control protocols that we have in place.

Through all of this, we have never lost sight of how important it is for our Residents to be active, engaged, and enjoying life. I have seen firsthand the joy on their faces as they participate in events, join activities, and connect with loved ones in person. I also know how much you value family communication and assure you we will keep you informed of any updates to our operating procedures.

I cannot tell you how much the Little Sisters appreciate you and your continued trust and partnership. We remain honored and humbled to serve you and your loved ones. The Little Sisters and our beloved Residents continue to pray for you daily.

Most sincerely,

Sister Jeanne Mary, l.s.p.
Superior