



Little Sisters of the Poor

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Good Afternoon and Happy New Year!

A quick update for you regarding our COVID-19 information. As a reminder, we test our staff every Monday and Wednesday. On Monday this week 2 employees tested positive. They will be at home quarantining for the next 10 days or longer, until they are improving and able to return to work. On Wednesday, no additional staff tested positive. We tested our Residents on Tuesday this week and had 2 Residents test positive. These 2 Residents have been moved into the Nest to isolate and stay for the duration of their illness. Neither Resident has had symptoms since testing positive.

On January 11th we will again be welcoming CVS pharmacists into our Home, where they will be holding a vaccine clinic for our Residents and staff to receive the COVID vaccine. We will continue educating our staff in hopes of increasing the numbers receiving the vaccine at our next clinic. Many of our staff were not eligible for the vaccine at our last clinic due to recently receiving the flu shot or testing positive for COVID. We are encouraged for those employees to get their first dose and for many to receive their second dose of the vaccine.

As this historic year ends, we thank you for your understanding and patience, and of course your prayerful support during this time of trial. It was your prayers that helped the Sisters when they all tested positive, some symptomatic, some asymptomatic. It has been an immense time of trial, so mysterious, so surreal. We owe a great deal of gratitude to all our staff who were heroic in supporting our mission!

Thank God our Home was one of the first in the Cincinnati area to receive the vaccine to protect us as we go forward with courage and perseverance to the New year of 2021! God bless all of you!

Mother Marie Edward & Jenny Nijak, Administrator