



July 10, 2020

Dear Families and friends,

Once again, it is time to check in to let you know how we've been doing here in St. Joseph's Home. We are happy to report that we are still COVID-free; including all Residents, Staff and Sisters!

We had our baseline testing done on June 19th; however, we did not receive the results until Sunday, June 28th. That verified for us that we have in fact, been doing the right things! Social distancing, face masks, "lock-down" have all allowed us to care for your loved ones without allowing the virus in!

According to guidelines, we must have a second testing, which will occur this coming week here at the Home. All Residents, Staff and Sisters will once again undergo testing to be able to help us transition into the next possible phase.

On a lighter note, we celebrated the 4th of July with scrumptious ice cream sundaes in the afternoon, along with Patriotic music and fun. Residents were served their favorite ice cream and toppings as the temperatures were rising outside. Mostly everyone had on red, white and blue. Our activity staff has been tremendous during this pandemic in helping to "make the elderly happy, that's all!" as our Foundress used to say. Thanks for your prayers and your understanding, especially with the visiting restrictions. Let's all stay safe!

Most sincerely,

Mother Jeanne
Debbie Davidson, RN, NHA