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Greetings from your extended family at St. Ann. We are very happy to report that the COVID testing results for the residents came back and they were ALL NEGATIVE. We are so very thankful to know the measures we have in place to safeguard the residents are working- despite the challenges they may cause. We know how desperately you all want to see your loved ones, and know that they too want to see you- but we must continue to keep our preventative measures in place – which of course means we will continue to not allow visitors in the building.

The residents who do have family visits at the window or are taking advantage of the video chatting option do benefit from these visits and bring smiles to their faces. This time apart is hard for them too.

I am pleased to announce that Donna Nemet, formally our Assistant Director of Nursing whom has been acting as our interim Director of Nursing since the onset of the pandemic, has been promoted to the Director of Nursing services permanently. I am grateful for her leadership and I look forward to our continue collaboration in providing quality care to our residents.

Some of the fun activities we enjoyed this week included: Sunday prayers with Joyce, bean bag toss, morning stretch and exercise, we made pinecone birdfeeders, played BINGO, had a sing along, bowled, and did some brain games/trivia. of course some crafts and BINGO. We continue to offer church services via a live stream of pre-recorded masses and if the resident has the right cable set up in his/her room, they can watch EWTN any time they choose.

Please continue to update me with other family members whom you think might want to receive these weekly emails. I am adding to my contacts as I get new email addresses. You can also refer family to the St. Ann Website (<https://stannrehabcenter.org/covid-19-update/>) for information about our facility specific COVID-19 updates as well as these family emails.

Thank you again for your support and prayers. Please continue to stay safe as the state is slowly opening back up. Your safety is important to us. Please refer to the CDC website for information about COVID-19, including symptoms, how it spreads, and actions YOU can take to protect your health: <https://www/cdc.gov/corona-virus/2019>

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