



## Luther Manor Continuing Precautions Related to COVID-19

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Good evening from Luther Manor. I'm back from my Stephanie mandated break and it's good to be back with the second family!

There are still no newly acquired cases of COVID-19 on either of Luther Manor campuses. This continues to remain our highest priority.

Thank you for the continued support and communication you provide to your loved ones and we share with our remarkable team of employees. It means more than you may know!

### Shout Outs of Thanks!

- **Jean Kahl and Kathleen Seivert** - Thank you for the iPad donations, they will be put to good use and fast! We asked, you listened and you acted. We are so grateful!
- **Special thanks to Milwaukee Lutheran High School and Divine Savior Holy Angels High School.** I wish I could mention every student and teacher by name, but it would take days and days to do so, because these two high schools sent close to 100 letters and emails of prayer and encouragement to our residents and staff. These neighborhood students are incredible and our future is in good hands!

### Campus Happenings

- With Governor Evers extending the Safer at Home order into late May, I've received a handful of phone calls from our residents expressing concern and emphasizing how difficult this is. As I mentioned in my intro it's good for me to be back to work, as in many ways we are the lucky ones to be able to leave the house and go somewhere. Even at home, most of us can do projects around the house and be distracted. Our residents do not have these options and I bring this up not to point out the negative, but to implore you to continue supporting your loved ones during this extended time.
  - Remind them of the mind, body and soul enriching options that are available via our in-house TV channel and get them to participate in the hallway bingo or sing along (dance party) or anything where they can interact with others.
  - If you have not had a FaceTime chat with your loved one yet, please reach out and let us know. If you have already you can certainly request this, yet please be patient for those that have not yet.
  - Encourage them to go for a walk around campus with a neighbor or friend and take advantage of the sunny spring days in particular.



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- Encourage re-reading their favorite book(s) of all time. The Good Book?
- Try to keep them busy the best you can and we will continue to try as well!

## Campus Updates

For Independent Living residents having a hard time keeping up with some day to day tasks that family members used to help with. Please know we can assist with some of these daily tasks on a temporary or ongoing basis. Bed making, laundry, hair washing, apartment cleaning just to name a few. Curious how this or more permanent support works with our Supportive Living staff, contact Becky Onken or Suzie Schaumann at 414-464-3880.

## Interested in hearing more from us?

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