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Luther Manor Continuing Precautions Related to COVID-19

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Good Evening from Luther Manor. The safety of our residents and staff remain our top priority and we will continue with our protocols, precautions and daily screening of staff and all Health Care Center and Assisted Living Residents. All visitor restrictions remain.

Thank you for your support, partnerships and commitment to our residents and staff as the pandemic continues to evolve. Please continue to connect with your loved ones as often as you can. Don't forget our Sharing God's Love team is here to help! Just email SharingGodsLove@LutherManor.org to get started.

Shout Outs of Thanks!

- **Thank you, to the students of the 4K and 5K classes from Zion Lutheran School.** These colored Thanksgiving pictures are better than I could do and are bringing plenty of joy to our residents. Thank you, kids!



- **Thank you once again, to Lindsey and Tray Black! Lindsey is the granddaughter of Terrace Resident, Inga Harwick and Lindsey and her husband's donation allowed us to get a Christmas tree for every resident at Luther Manor and River Oaks!** It will take a while to get them all distributed, yet we hope to be done by early next week! They say "it is better to give than receive" and I say the smile indicates that is correct! The photos are priceless, yet the stories we are getting while delivering are just as great! One such example is a resident in the rehabilitation wing was so surprised, especially when we told them they get to keep the tree and take it home. The gentleman shared



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that he and his wife both got COVID and haven't put up a tree yet. They have been married 37 years, and always put up a Christmas tree together, but with being so sick this year they don't have enough energy, so this will be their tree! Thank you again Lindsey and Tray!



Campus Update

- In accordance with recently revised CDC guidelines, the Department of Health has shortened the required standard quarantine period from 14 days to 10 days for people who remain asymptomatic, provided that daily symptom monitoring continues for the full 14-day period. We have been monitoring symptoms for all residents in our Courtyard, River Oaks and the Health Care Center since March, so we are in a good place to begin following this change immediately. The change is based on the modeling data suggesting that the residual risk of transmission is very low after 10 days, and the expectation that a less burdensome requirement may improve community compliance with quarantine and contact tracing.
- Our twice-weekly routine testing in the Health Care Center found a member of that team tested positive. No residents are experiencing signs or symptoms of COVID, however as a precaution we will quarantine and test all residents on the affected unit and continue our twice weekly testing of staff members. We continue to work closely with the Wauwatosa Department of Health to ensure precautions are being followed to help mitigate the spread and remain flexible with any changes to their guidelines.

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