

May 22, 2020

Hello everyone,

As warm weather promises to take hold here in Chicagoland over the coming weekend, we are happy to report that our Residents will be able to profit of it, albeit on a limited basis. Within a set of firm guidelines, we are now able to take them out one by one to enjoy some fresh air and sunshine. This is a welcome relief after so many weeks of being indoors.

We are also happy to report that there are no new cases of coronavirus among Residents or staff in the past several days. Both groups continue to be monitored closely and all precautions continue to be taken. We don't want to lose the ground that we've made up in this fight.

Tomorrow, May 23, is the first day the celebration of small group funerals, baptisms, marriages, etc. is allowed in the archdiocese of Chicago. In our chapel we will celebrate the Mass of Christian Burial for our Sr. Agathe Berchmans. Attendance will be limited to the Little Sisters, and we will be following all of the guidelines issued by the archdiocese, but it will be visible on the closed-circuit television. We are grateful to have this opportunity to commend her soul back to the one who gave her to us.

Wishing you a blessed Memorial Day weekend as we thank God for those who have given their lives at the service of us all.

God bless,

Sr. Julie, lsp