

September 3, 2021

Dear Woodlands Residents and Families,

We were notified this morning that we had an employee that works at the Woodlands that tested positive for the COVID-19 virus. When we have an employee or resident that tests positive, we are required to suspend family and friend visits until all COVID tests come back negative. We will be testing again on Tuesday, September 7, and should have the results by next Friday, September 10. Provided that all tests come back negative, we will be able to open to open our doors to all family and friend visitors on September 11. Essential Caregivers and Compassionate care visits are still allowed.

We will have Sunday Worship this Sunday. We are limiting the worship service to Woodlands residents only. Tenants that reside at Waters Edge or the Meadows are asked not to attend. The intent of this is to prevent intermingling of the buildings. We are asking Woodlands residents to wear a mask to and from and during the service.

The fitness center will be closed to Woodlands tenants until our test results come back later next week. Waters Edge and Meadows tenants are allowed to continue to use the fitness center at this time.

As many of you may already know, the county positivity rate continues to climb in Freeborn County. This impacts everyone that lives or works in Freeborn County. I would encourage everyone that has ties to St. John's to follow CDC guidelines: get vaccinated, wear a mask when out in public, and get tested if you have COVID symptoms. These are all precautions that we can take to prevent or slow the spread of the COVID-19 virus.

Sincerely,

**Scot Spates** 

You'll find a home in our community.