



Jeanne Jugan Residence
2999 Schurz Ave
Bronx, NY 10465

October 31, 2020

Dear Family members,

Tomorrow we celebrate "All Saints Day," all those "ordinary" people like us who in their quiet way lived a life of goodness and virtue. We confide our present situation to their intercession, asking that they help us out of these trying times and obtain for us the needed "miracle" to return to normalcy.

On the 2nd we will again have our annual All Souls Mass for the Residents who returned to God during the year. Unfortunately we will be deprived of the presence of all the family members who have joined us in the past, not only from the families who lost loved ones in 2020 but many others who appreciated the opportunity to pray with us for the repose of "all souls," especially of the Residents who returned home to God from Jeanne Jugan Residence.

We are happy to tell you that we continue to remain Covid-19 free. All staff and sisters continue to test negative weekly. We have registered Jeanne Jugan Residence with the Government and are now eligible to receive the Covid-19 vaccine when it is available.

Our activity department pulled off a very creative and fun-filled Halloween party, which included costumes, décor and plenty of dancing. Our staff are such good sports! They are always ready to join in the fun and do what they can to engage the Residents and give them a good time.

All the Residents have been offered the flu vaccine. The staff are now in the process of receiving it. Thanksgiving is just around the corner and we are already receiving responses from our Turkey Drop, for which we are very grateful. Although this Thanksgiving will be like none other we have experienced we know that we still have so much to be grateful for and will spend the day thanking God for so many blessings. That's about all the news for now. God bless. Have a great weekend and stay safe.

Sincerely,

Sr. Gertrude Mary
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