



October 8, 2021

General notice to parishioners

Dear Parishioners,

We are saddened to inform you that two separate individuals, one who attended the 5pm. Mass and one who attended the 11am Mass this past Sunday have tested positive for COVID-19. We share this news in our effort to be fully transparent with you. We care about all of you, and our primary goal is to keep you healthy and whole in body and spirit.

People in close contact with them via worship or parish activities have been notified. We encourage you to monitor yourself for symptoms if you attended these Masses.

This news should reinforce our vigilance of following all parish and CDC recommendations, including staying home if you are sick, maintaining proper social distancing, and washing your hands regularly.

Parishioners are highly encouraged to receive a COVID-19 vaccine if they are able. The Catholic Bishops of Michigan have issued guidance on the moral permissibility of receiving the COVID-19 vaccine:

<http://bit.ly/GRdioceseCOVID19Updates>.

General information may be found on the CDC website: <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html>

We will continue to work to provide the safest environment possible for our parish community. As we move through this pandemic, we will continue to be diligent with communication and awareness. Let's pray for all those suffering from COVID-19 and each other!