

August 22, 2021

Hello Parish Family,

This week we received new guidance from the Archdiocese regarding COVID 19: **“The Archdiocese of Detroit encourages Mass-goers, regardless of vaccination status, to wear face-coverings and to practice social distancing to reduce exposure to COVID-19. For your reference, we share here [information from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.](#)”**

Please be assured that at Nativity we will continue to follow our regular procedures for mask wearing and social distancing as well as sanitizing of the church. In addition, we encourage everyone to sign the attendance sheets on the clip boards at the side altars on Sunday mornings. We hope that we will never have to use it, but this contact information will allow us to notify you if we are informed that someone has tested positive for the virus.

We have good news to share with you. **Michelle Bezel** is back in her Florida home after spending months in the hospital and rehab center battling COVID. Of course, we will continue to pray for her as she continues to recover at home.

Here are a few dates we want to make sure you know about:

Sunday, August 29th, we celebrate the **Confirmation of Owen Johnston and Russell Stambaugh** at the 9:30 Mass (followed by a light, outdoor Reception in the parish yard).

September 4th, **Memorial Mass for Cheryl Dandridge** with Family Visitation from 10:30 to 11:00 and Mass at 11:00.

September 19th, **Celebration with Brother Ray** at the 9:30 Mass followed by a Cake and Coffee Reception (with your choice of indoor or outdoor setting).

Keeping you in prayer,

The Parish Team