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A Message from

Father Bill

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

In light of the current pandemic and the ease and speed with which COVID-19 spreads, we are suspending our regular services at St. John's through Palm Sunday (April 5.) Social isolation seems to be the most effective way to slow down this disease. My hope and prayer is that we can resume our regular worship on Easter Sunday.

Enclosed with this newsletter you will find the inserts with the readings for the next three Sundays. I encourage you to take some time each Sunday morning to read the lessons for that

day, reflect on them and pray. Know that you are not alone. At 9:30 each Sunday my wife, Barbara, and I will be doing the same.

In addition, I have signed our parish up for a service called *Preparing for Sunday*. On our website you will find an icon that will take you to the readings for the day with a short reflection on each one. I pray that during these uncertain times these reflections will offer you solace and guidance. During this time of social isolation, please know that you are not alone.

If you want to stay in touch, please call me (518-608-1139) or

email me
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Yours in Christ,

Bill+

Hello from the

Senior Warden

As we go through these trying times try to remember those who are most affected by these changes. If you have an elderly neighbor make sure you check on them. Bring them an occasional meal. Have your kids make some cards.

And please remember to have your children join you every evening in saying a prayer for those that may be ill.

If we just keep our faith we will all be better after this passes.