

ALWAYS A LANCER

Always a Lancer was launched in March as a campaign to rally the Notre Dame family around a common goal: to encourage, lift up and lean on one another. As we all move through the current pandemic, we are focusing our efforts on helping those within our community and our neighborhood who need our care. The phrase "Once a Lancer, always a Lancer" has been a part of the ND fabric for decades and, now more than ever, Lancers need one another.

If you are interested in supporting the Always A Lancer Fund, [learn more here](#).

Always a Lancer and ND's Campus Ministry team is grateful to Donut Crazy for supporting our efforts to lift up the caregivers at Fairfield's Cambridge Manor Nursing Home. Thank you **John Wojnarowski P'20, '23** and crew!



Kate Daly Rietberg '67 felt she wanted to do something more for those affected by the COVID-19 Virus. Kate reached out to members of her class on Facebook and organized a prayer group. Her classmates pray in unison from wherever they are around the country. Kate said there have been anywhere from 45 to 60+ members of the class who check in daily. "I believe that everyone would like to be doing more and this is one small step to heal those around us impacted by this pandemic."

Former ND faculty member, **Judy Waldeyer**, and her 100-year old father, Jerry, have made more than 350 masks for people and organizations during the COVID-19 Virus.



A big thank you to **Sam Devellis '92**, owner of Carl Anthony's in Monroe, for donating care packages to help make the Easter holiday brighter for those in our community.

Jack Guo '21, a Notre Dame international student from China, has returned home to finish the school year. Jack and his family recently sent a small shipment of masks (not N95s) to Notre Dame to share with our community. When thanked for his kindness, Jack's heart-felt response ... "Lancers support Lancers." We are grateful to you, Guo family!



ND Science Department Chair, Kathy Almeida, has teamed up with other 3D print makers to produce face shield visors. The PPE have been distributed to Lawrence and Memorial Hospital, CT Hospice in Branford, and area convalescent homes. The original goal for the team was to print 200 shields; the group has produced over 500 and they are still printing! Thanks to **Mark McKnight** (Yale Institute for Network Science) and **Chris Yamamoto** (Sikorsky) for their incredible support of this project.



Through the generosity of donors to Always a Lancer, ND's Campus Ministry team made a trip to the EMT service group, American Medical Response, and delivered a variety of snacks and treats as a way to say thank you to this incredible group of first responders!



Always a Lancer donations provided pizza and food pantry items to Operation Hope in Fairfield. We are grateful to **Jim Ormrod P'10** of Jimmy's Apizza in Milford for helping to make this happen.