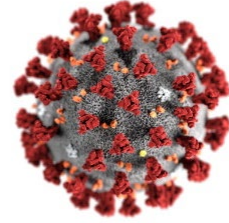




## Mayor Brindle's COVID-19 Update March 29, 2020



As of today, there are 13,386 confirmed cases of COVID-19 in New Jersey. We have four additional cases in Westfield, which brings the official total from the Board of Health to 35 cases. For a more detailed breakdown of statewide numbers, visit the NJ Department of Health COVID-19 Dashboard.

Last night, the CDC issued a travel advisory affecting the tri-state region, which does not materially change the rules that were established by Governor Murphy's stay-at-home order. For full details, please visit the CDC website.

As of today, the We Love Local fund donations have surpassed \$100,000! Thank you to everyone for your generosity to benefit our business community. We still have \$10,000 in matching funds available through the generosity of The Westfield Foundation, so please consider giving if you have not already done so.

Perhaps the best way to close today is with information about an interfaith Power of Prayer service organized by our community's religious leaders to take place on Monday at 3:30. Many houses of worship across Westfield are coming together and inviting the entire community to unite in prayer during the trying times of this COVID-19 crisis -- including Holy Trinity Roman Catholic Church, The First Baptist Church of Westfield, The First Congregational Church of Westfield, the First United Methodist Church, The Presbyterian Church, St. Paul's Episcopal Church, and Temple Emanu-El. This live worship service will be hosted collectively by local religious leaders via Zoom session. Please register in advance, and a confirmation email will be sent to you.

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I wish you all a good start to the new work and school week.