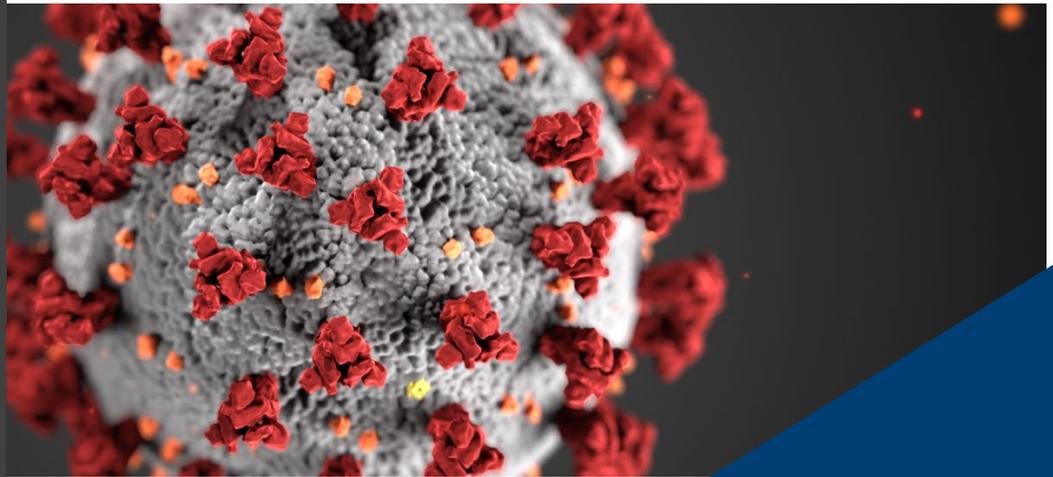


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The peonies are in full bloom on the side of my house. We have many different colors of peonies that have opened up and they make me so happy.



I don't even have to leave my house to watch these baby birds--the nest is right outside my window. Do you see the baby robins opening their mouths waiting for food?

**KELLY STOLZMANN**



This picture doesn't look like much. It's my kitchen window above the sink, where I spend a lot of time. We have 5 people in the house, nobody ever leaves, and we don't have a dishwasher. I did enjoy doing the dishes pre-COVID but there are a LOT of dishes that accumulate throughout the day now. I needed to add to this tiny corner of my world to make it as inviting as possible. So, I have: multiple air plants, flowers from the yard, fresh basil and herbs, and my bright pink hanging plant. Looking at these things brings me joy and makes all of the dirty dishes I need to wash much more tolerable.

**KELLY STOLZMANN**