

Dear Visitors,

Thank you for your many visits, your messages and your questions during these last few days.

To respond to your expectations, we will continue to regularly give news of the Sisters of Saint John and Saint Dominic from the time of the rescript at the beginning of 2013.

On June 17<sup>th</sup>, 2014, the Sisters of Saint John and Saint Dominic were authorized to re-found a public association of the faithful, in view of creating a religious institute. It is basically good news! Because it is a path of pacification – the possibility of a general chapter for the contemplative Sisters of Saint-John and the creation of an association for the Sisters of Saint John and Saint Dominic – and the recognition of more than 200 religious sisters.

In the article “Questions for the press”, you will find a link to various articles published recently. We choose to respond to the press in this way, through the modality of posing questions.

Concerning the letter read on 6/17/14, we know that the document is not signed by the prefect for the Congregation of Religious Life which is handling this case, that there is no “decision” made for now but the expression of the “desire” of the Holy Father that the 4 Sisters leave religious life. One would have to say that these words do not resemble him at all (see the homily he gave on this same day...).

Finally, in what concerns Father Philippe, we express our wish that a serious investigation by someone independent and benevolent be done (who will choose him? Who will guarantee his independence?). It will surely be necessary to wait until all that clarifies itself.

We will publish the questions/responses from these past few days in the reader’s mail as soon as we have authorization from the authors.

“Everything passes, God does not change!”

With trust,  
The Moderators.

NB: You can help them by making a gift the Association Hope and Dialog (see the tab [Help the Sisters](#))