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**Tools to celebrate the *Bicentenary***

**Order form to be returned before the 1st July 2017** **by email to :**[**secretariat@lamennais.org**](mailto:secretariat@lamennais.org)

**Letter from the Superior General,**

To:

The Teaching Staffs of Mennaisian Schools and Educational Centres,

The Parents’ Associations

The Management Committees and the Solidarity Associations, etc.

The Students and Former Students,

The Brothers of Christian Instruction and the Mennaisian Family.

Rome, 10th May 2017

Dear Brothers,

Dear friends,

Dear young people,

This year, we enter into the celebration of the Bicentenary of the Congregation of the Brothers of Christian Instruction of Ploërmel. Thus, we begin a journey, which will last three years with effect from June, 2017 until September, 2020. During these three years we shall give thanks to God for the gift of the Mennaisian Charism which we received through our founders. We shall also try to discern together the calls of the world and of the Church that we shall be invited to answer. We shall finally decide, with the same dynamism and the same inventiveness as our founders to meet the current challenges of education and evangelisation.   
The General Council of the Congregation, as well as your own Province or District, will propose to you some initiatives for the animation of these three years.   
In connection with the General Council, the General Secretary and the Director of Information of the Congregation have already proposed to you some tools which you can find at the following address: <http://www.lamennais.org/logo/> . I invite you to acquaint yourself with the attached Order Form concerning some of these tools. Among them, I would like in particular to draw your attention to the last special issue of La Mennais Magazine which you received recently. It is a good introduction to the celebration of this Bicentenary which can be used for young people as well as adults.   
I count on your collaboration and I wish you a good beginning of the celebration of this important anniversary.

Brother Yannick Houssay, Superior General

**VERY IMPORTANT.**

The ***order form*** below presents different tools proposed for the Bicentenary of the Congregation.

These proposals were adopted by the general Conference of last October in connection with the General Council on October 2016.

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+**Three years**. Think of the numerous possibilities during these three years: meetings of parents and families, with children and young people, assemblies of the Mennaisian Family, meetings of teachers and non teaching staff, relations with religious authorities, feasts, anniversaries … It is interesting to build up a stock.

**Contacts for more information**

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**OTHER TOOLS FOR THE BICENTENARY:**

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This order form and other tools as:

* **The hymn of the Bicentenary**
* **A poster of the Bicentenary**
* **Frame-Posters of the two Founders**
* **Digital files of the Union Treaty signed by the two Founders**

**Other Tools :**

* Videos are in preparation and in progress:
  + 1. A first video message of Bro Superior General will present the theme of this first year of the Bicentenary on 6th June 2017.
    2. A cartoon on JMDLM’s life (15’) : FR-ENG-SP.
    3. A documentary about the « Mennaisian places »
    4. A film (26’) whose scenario would include the modules of the Mennaisian Educative Project.

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