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Direct Members' Association

Spring Letter

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Dear Direct Member,

Welcome to the 2025 Direct Members' Spring Letter. If this reaches you in time, I wish you "Happy feast day," for the feast of St. Julie Billiart. I'm sorry if it arrives too late for the feast (8th April), but I still hope you had a good day). After a very cold, wet and dismal start to the year, fine weather finally seems to be with us (although I still have my hot water bottle at night up here in Yorkshire). I hope it lasts until Easter and well into the summer.

The committee had its first meeting of the year in the Irenaeus Centre, in Liverpool. Present was Fr. Chris, our chaplain, who celebrated Mass for us at mid-day.

Attached with this letter is the information about the Notre Dame Weekend Away, on the first weekend in September, which will again be in Hinsley Hall, the Leeds Diocesan Pastoral Centre, in Leeds. This will be a very enjoyable event, as usual and I hope you will be able to join us there.

Thank you to those who have paid the membership subscription for the current year. For anyone who has not yet done so, membership is £8.00 and is now due. I hope you will continue membership for this year. We do greatly value your membership. Cheques made out to "British Federation of Notre Dame (de Namur) Associations" (BFNDA) and can be posted to me, at the above address.



Happy and blessed Easter,
Francesca