

I have just seen the Dean. We talked about the confessor for your pupils. I thought it necessary to limit myself to asking him to be kind enough to add a second Confessor, and in that way to provide the pupils with every freedom for confession.

I willingly renew the promises I made you and the assurances of my sincere devotedness. On Friday, I am counting on saying Holy Mass for you and your dear Sisters, and you will offer a communion for me, who am yours very affectionately, in Our Lord Jesus Christ.

Your spiritual Father

Ghent, 15th November 1853