

Most Holy Father,

Bruno Cadore, Master of the Order of Preachers, presenting his devoted sentiments and those of the members of the entire Dominican family to Your Holiness, humbly states as follows: the Sovereign Pontiff Honorius III, by the two Bulls "Religiosam vitam" of December 22nd 1216 and "Gratiam omnium largitori" of January 21st 1217, approved and confirmed the Order of Preachers under the rule of St. Augustine. To celebrate this double eight hundred anniversary with dignity, in all places of worship of the Dominican family, solemn rites and religious events will be held from the 7th November 2015, Feast of All Saints of the Order, until the 21st of January 2017 eight centenary of the second Bull. To ensure that the members of the Dominican family and other faithful are more opened to the divine generosity and might receive from it more abundant spiritual fruit, the aforesaid Most Reverend applicant requests that gift of Indulgences be granted for the Jubilee

And that God, etc.

The 8th of August 2015

Apostolic Penitentiary, by special mandate of the Holy Father Francis, willingly grants the Jubilee year with the attached plenary indulgence, following the usual conditions (sacramental confession, Eucharistic Communion and prayer for the intentions of the Supreme Pontiff), to those faithful who, in a spirit of penance and moved by charity, who may obtain this once a day, and which each time may be applied by way of suffrage to the souls of the faithful who are in Purgatory, unite themselves in their hearts to the spiritual purposes of the Holy Year of Mercy:

- a) to the Jubilee celebrations as determined in the letter of request, in which they will devoutly participate;
- b) in the churches and places of worship of the Dominican Family that they will visit on the pilgrimage and where they meditate before the Blessed Sacrament, for a suitable period of time, concluding with the Lords Prayer, the Creed, the Jubilee Prayer, and the invocation of the Blessed Virgin Mary of the Most Holy Rosary.

Members of the Dominican Family who, because of illness or others serious reasons, are prevented from participating in the Jubilee celebrations may, in the place where they are confined by their impediment, receive the Plenary Indulgence, if, having rejected all sins, and with the intention of fulfilling, as soon as they can, the usual three conditions, and if they associate themselves spiritually with the sacred rites, offer their prayers and sufferings and difficulties of their lives to the mercy of God through the intercession of Mary.

To facilitate by means of pastoral charity, across of the faithful to the divine forgiveness through the keys of the Church, this Penitentiary invites the priests of the Order of St. Dominic, to make themselves readily available for celebration of Penance in the places of the Jubilee and frequently administer Holy Communion to the Sick.

This disposition applies to the time of the Jubilee year. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary.

Cardinal Mauro Piacenza

Major Penitentiary

Christopher Nykiel

Regent