

2° Another PLENARY indulgence at the hour of death for those already associated to the confraternity or who will be in the future, on the following conditions, viz : contrition, confession and holy communion, or if they cannot, at least that they be contrite of heart and invoke the Holy Name of Jesus verbally, or at least mentally.

3° Another PLENARY indulgence four times a year on the days appointed by the Ordinary, on the following conditions, viz : contrition, confession, communion, a visit and prayer in the basilica for the intentions already mentioned.

4° A partial indulgence of SEVEN YEARS AND SEVEN QUARANTINES four times a year, on the days appointed by the Ordinary, on conditions of assisting on those days at mass and the other divine offices in the said church.

5° A partial indulgence of SIXTY DAYS for every good work performed according to the rules of the confraternity.

Given at Rome, at the Propaganda, on the day and year above mentioned.

(L. + S.) (Signed) + D. ARCH. OF TYRE,
Secretary.

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" HE ASCENDED INTO HEAVEN."

ASCENSION.

(May 10.)

Jesus has triumphed over death and sin. During forty days, the Church, his faithful spouse, has not ceased sounding the praises of her conquering Lord. Never was victory more brilliant, for the enemy conquered, Hell, oppressed with an iron sceptre all mankind.

But the Victor's triumph is not yet over. He must go to the glorious rest which has cost him so many sufferings. He is about to leave the earth, that battlefield which he has crimsoned with his divine blood. He will return to heaven from whence he came, to sit at the right of God his Father throughout all eternity.

Holy Scripture relates in a few words of sublime and touching simplicity the circumstances of that memorable event.