

Today's Martyrs – March 1930

Saturday March 1, 1930



Y.C.P.P.

Ukraine: Kiev

Zygmunt Lepesowecki (aged 52, office worker, arrested in [Kiev, Ukraine](#) on [February 16, 1929](#), and sent into 3 years' internal exile to Siberia; arrested in [Mariinsk, Russia](#) in [May 1929](#); **UPDATE**: transferred to Kiev, sentenced to 3 years' imprisonment in a labor camp, returned to Kiev upon release)

<https://biographies.library.nd.edu/catalog/biography-1146>

Sunday March 2, 1930



Y.C.P.P.

Ukraine: Kiev

Fr Zygmunt Kwasniewski (aged 42, arrested in [April 11, 1927](#) in [Proskurov](#) on anti-Soviet agitation and espionage charges; released on [October 21, 1928](#) after being forced to agree to 'voluntary' cooperation; **UPDATE**: arrested)

<https://biographies.library.nd.edu/catalog/biography-1836>

Wednesday March 12, 1930



P.P.P.

Russia: Rohleder

Fr Alexander Dornhof (aged 39, arrested)

<https://biographies.library.nd.edu/catalog/biography-0239>



Y.C.P.P.

Ukraine: Skvyra

Maria Kozlowska (aged 25, arrested on [July 18, 1921](#) for an illegal border crossing, later released; investigated in [1927](#), not convicted, released but forced to sign an agreement to spy on the church; **UPDATE**: arrested on a charge of anti-Soviet agitation, soon released)

<https://biographies.library.nd.edu/catalog/biography-0418>

Thursday March 13, 1930



CPSU

Russia

Fr Antoni Dziemieszkiewicz (aged 39, arrested in [1929](#); **UPDATE**: sentenced to 10 years' imprisonment in a labor camp, sent to Solovetsky Special Purpose Camp)

<https://biographies.library.nd.edu/catalog/biography-0946>

Tuesday March 18, 1930



CPSU

Russia: Stalingrad

Ivan Belina-Belinovich (aged 61, factory worker, released for lack of evidence)

Jozef Kaliwoda (aged 53, factory metalworker, released for lack of evidence)

<https://biographies.library.nd.edu/catalog/biography-0102>

<https://biographies.library.nd.edu/catalog/biography-0983>

Sunday March 23, 1930



USSR

Fr Ludwig Erk (aged 34, arrested in [Slavhorod](#) on [September 8, 1929](#); **UPDATE**: convicted, sentenced to 10 years' imprisonment in a camp)

<https://biographies.library.nd.edu/catalog/biography-1557>



Ukraine: Kiev Prison

Fr Franciszek Andruszewicz (aged 50, rearrested on [November 30, 1929](#), sent to Bila Tserkva Prison; transferred to [Kiev](#) prison on [December 5, 1929](#); **UPDATE**: sentenced to three years' imprisonment in a labor camp)

<https://biographies.library.nd.edu/catalog/biography-0024>

Thursday March 27, 1930



Georgia: Tbilisi

Fr Akop Bakaratian (aged 58, prevented from travelling to Moscow by the GPU for his [January 11, 1928](#) consecration as bishop; **UPDATE**: arrested, later in the summer of 1930 was sentenced to 10 years' imprisonment in a labor camp)

<https://biographies.library.nd.edu/catalog/biography-0053>

Sunday March 30, 1930



Ukraine: Vitava, Vinnytsia district, Podolia

Leon Buszynski (aged 24, lathe operator, arrested, charged with 'active participation in a counter-revolutionary Living Rosary group' and espionage)

<https://biographies.library.nd.edu/catalog/biography-0200>

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Y.C.P.P.

Ukraine: Stara Uszyca

Fr Emmanuel Kaplonowski (aged 58, arrested in [Zwancyk](#) in 1922 on a charge of 'resisting the seizure of church valuables', soon released, arrested again in 1922 and released;

UPDATE: arrested)

<https://biographies.library.nd.edu/catalog/biography-0988>