

Today's Martyrs – 1932 – unknown month



Russia: Anzer Island

Fr Boleslaw Jurewicz (aged 45, arrested in [Leningrad](#) on [August 15, 1929](#); sentenced on [September 13, 1930](#) to 10 years' imprisonment in a concentration camp; arrived at [Solovetsky Special Purpose Camp](#) on [October 6, 1930](#), later transferred to [Anzer Island](#); **UPDATE**: arrested, charged with 'creation of an anti-Soviet group, carrying out anti-Soviet agitation, secretly celebrating liturgical and religious rites and maintaining an illegal contact with a free worker for purposes of transmitting abroad information of an espionage nature about the situation of Catholics in the USSR')

Fr Ludwig Erk (aged 36, arrested in [Slavhorod](#) on [September 8, 1929](#); convicted on [March 23, 1930](#), sentenced to 10 years' imprisonment in a camp; **UPDATE**: arrested for 'creation of an anti-Soviet group, carrying out anti-Soviet agitation, secretly celebrating liturgical and religious rites and maintaining an illegal contact with a free worker for purposes of transmitting abroad information', sentenced to one year of solitary confinement)

Fr Stepan Eroian (aged 35, arrested on [November 26, 1929](#) in [Tiflis, Georgia](#); convicted on [August 3, 1930](#), sentenced to 10 years' imprisonment in a camp; arrived at [Solovetsky Special Purpose Camp](#) on [August 15, 1930](#), later transferred to [Anzer Island](#); **UPDATE**: arrested, charged with 'creation of an anti-Soviet group, carrying out anti-Soviet agitation, secretly celebrating liturgical and religious rites and maintaining an illegal contact with a free worker for purposes of transmitting abroad information', placed in solitary confinement)

Russia: Karelia-Murmansk labor camp

Fr Gabriel Vladimirov (aged 59, sentenced on [August 3, 1930](#) to 10 years' imprisonment in a labor camp; **UPDATE**: sent into internal exile in Kazakhstan in the autumn of 1932)

Russia: Leshukonskoye, Arkhangelsk region

Fr Vsevolod Smirnov (aged 58, husband, arrested in [Dermencovo village, Volokolamsk](#) on [October 19, 1929](#); sentenced in [Moscow](#) to 3 years' internal exile on [November 18, 1929](#); **UPDATE**: released, settled in Dermencovo)

Russia: Moscow

Fr Anton Gapoian (possibly arrested in [1929](#), held in [Butyrka Prison](#); released in [1931](#); **UPDATE**: sent either to a camp or into internal exile)

Russia: Narym, Tomsk region

Viktor Gotovtsev (aged 55, arrested in [Moscow](#) on [November 12, 1923](#); sentenced on [May 19, 1924](#) to 8 years' imprisonment, sent to [Chelyabinsk Prison](#), held in solitary confinement; released in [1929](#), sent into internal exile; **UPDATE**: released from internal exile, fate after 1936 unknown)

Russia: Novosokolniki

Fr Antoni Germanowicz (arrested, sentenced to prison camp, fate unknown)

Russia: Rosental, Taurida province, Crimea

Joseph Kolsch (aged 33, husband, father of four, farmer, father sent into internal exile in 1928;
UPDATE: forced to join a collective farm)

Wendelin Eisenbraun (aged 37, father of eight children, farmer, lost his farm due to 'back-breaking' taxes, forced to join a collective farm)

Russia: Samara oblast

Fr Johannes Falkenstein (aged 46, arrested in 1931 in Josefstal, Mariental region, Samara oblast;
UPDATE: sentenced to 5 years' imprisonment in a labor camp, sent to Sibltag)

Russia: Vladivostok

Fr Jerzy Jurkiewicz (aged 45, arrested in 1930, sentenced to a prison camp; **UPDATE:** sent to Solovetsky Special Purpose Camp)

Russia: Vologda region

Fr Vasily Arkhangel (aged 68, husband, father of four, arrested in Komjakino village on September 3, 1929, sent to Moscow; sentenced to 3 years' internal exile on November 23, 1929, sent to Barabinsk and then to the Vologda region; **UPDATE:** released from exile, prohibited from living near Moscow)

Russia: Yaroslavl

Fr Jozef Bieniecki (aged 62, arrested in Polonnoye, Shepetovsk, Kamianets-Podilskyi region on February 3, 1930; sentenced in Kiev, Ukraine on May 13, 1930 to 5 years' imprisonment in a labor camp; **UPDATE:** transferred to Solovetsky Special Purpose Camp)

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Ukraine: Karlsruhe, near Odessa

Fr Joseph Krushinski (aged 67, arrested, sent into 3 years' internal exile to Almaty oblast, Kazakhstan)

Ukraine: Korostyszew

Fr Zygmunt Klemczynski (aged 41, investigated in [December 1921](#) for counter-revolutionary activities, not convicted; investigated in [Rakhmanovka](#) in [1924](#) for counter-revolutionary activities, not convicted; **UPDATE**: tried for counter-revolutionary activities, released for lack of evidence)

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Belarus: Nevel, Vitebsk region

Fr Antoni Jarmolowicz (aged 35, arrested in [Minsk](#) in [1919](#) as a hostage, released after a prisoner exchange with Poland; arrested in [January 1921](#), soon released; **UPDATE**: arrested)

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