

Today's Martyrs –1935 – unknown month



Russia

Abbot Xenophon aka Konstantin Andreevich Bondarenko (aged 49, sentenced to 3 years' imprisonment in a labor camp)

Russia: Crimea

Joseph Erlar (farmer, arrested in 1930 for non-payment of taxes, sentenced to 20 months of forced labor; arrested in 1931 for 'systematic receipt and disbursement of monies from fascist organizations in Germany', said organizations were Christian charities; **UPDATE:** arrested again after 'having fulfilled the duties of a priest' by leading Christians in public prayer)

Russia: Dmitrov, Moscow region

Fr Nikolay Aleksandrov (aged 51, father of Catherine Aleksandrova, released from prison in 1934 **UPDATE:** rearrested)

Russia: Krasnoyarsk

Lewaszkievich (parish council president, arrested, possibly convicted, fate unknown)

Russia: Moscow

Elizabeth Bordelius (widow of a priest, attended illegal Divine Liturgies, arrested in 1931, released, **UPDATE:** arrested, fate unknown)

Russia: Northern Territory

Vladimir Balashev OPL (aged 55, engineer, arrested on November 16, 1923; sentenced to 10 years' imprisonment in May 1924; sent on internal exile in December 1932 for 3 years; **UPDATE:** released prior to August 1935, moved to Dmitrov, Moscow region)

Russia: Novosibirsk

Alexander Krzywicki (mine legal consultant, arrested, convicted, fate unknown)

Russia: Solovetsky Special Purpose Camp

Fr Jozef Kowalski (aged 37, secretly ordained in Leningrad on December 4, 1928; arrested in Fastiv, Ukraine on May 29, 1929; during interrogation in Kiev on June 17, 1929 said "As a believer, I was dissatisfied with the policy of anti-religious propaganda of the Soviet regime, which forbade the opening of theological seminaries"; sentenced to 10 years' imprisonment in a labor camp on June 12, 1930; transferred from Yaroslavl Prison to Solovetsky on September 27, 1933; **UPDATE:** spent time in the Savvatiev special isolator)

Russia: Telmanov region, Crimea

Fridrikh Bader (aged 26, collective farm stable hand, arrested and acquitted)

Russia: Tula

Bishop Ignatius Sadkovskogo (aged 47, arrested in [Tula](#) on [December 26, 1929](#) after meeting with priests to discuss Soviet harassment; sentenced on [July 2, 1930](#) to 3 year's imprisonment, sent to [Ust-Vymskij correctional camp](#); released on [June 2, 1932](#), returned to [Tula](#); **UPDATE**: arrested, sentenced to one year imprisonment in a labor camp, released early)

Russia: Volga German ASSR

Fr Emmanuil Bader (aged 43, arrested in [1930](#), released; **UPDATE**: arrested, sentenced to a labor camp, sent to Sevostoklag)

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Ukraine: Kamianets-Podilskiy

Fr Jan Brydycki (aged 63, seized by Komsomol youth for his energetic pastoral activity, hung upside down, set on fire, rescued, went into hiding)

Ukraine: near Kamianets-Podilskiy

Fr Jan Lawrecki (aged 65, arrested, sent to Kiev Prison)

Ukraine: Kharkiv

Fr Leonard Gaszynski (aged 68, arrested on [January 3, 1921](#) in [Mogilev, Belarus](#) on espionage charges; released on [February 3, 1921](#) due to lack of evidence; **UPDATE**: investigated along with other clergy, not convicted)

Ukraine: Kirovohrad

Apollinaria Jankiewicz OSF (aged 62, investigated for counter-revolutionary activities, possibly convicted, fate unknown)

Ukraine: Korostyshiv

Agnessa Kowalska (rectory housekeeper, investigated for counter-revolutionary activities, possibly convicted, fate unknown)

Ukraine: Korytnitsa

Karol Jasiniecki (church organist, investigated in the spring of 1935 for counter-revolutionary activities, convicted, fate unknown)

Ukraine: Malyn, Zhytomyr oblast

Fr Marian Jedruszak (aged 44, arrested in [Kamianets-Podilskyi](#) on [November 26, 1931](#), charged with 'anti-Soviet agitation, illegal contacts with Poland and cooperation in contraband operations'; transferred to [Kharkiv Prison](#) in [December 1931](#); sentenced on [November 11, 1932](#) to 5 years' imprisonment in a labor camp, sent to [Belbaltlag in Russia](#); granted an early release in [1933](#); **UPDATE**: arrested, released after 5 months')

Ukraine: Novohrad-Volynskyi

Frants Bitrikh (aged 57, arrested in [1933](#), not convicted; **UPDATE**: arrested, fate unknown)

Ukraine: Odessa

Fr Michael Brungardt (aged 55, arrested in [1930](#), released; **UPDATE**: arrested, fate unknown)

Ukraine: Pohrebysche

Fr Albin Gutowski (aged 73, arrested, later released, **died** - exact date unknown)

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Belarus: Vitebsk

Fr Eugeniusz Krolkowski (aged 60, subjected to repressions, banished from [Orsha](#) in [1933](#); **UPDATE**: **died of heart disease**)

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Germany: Vaihingen an der Enz

Pastor Theophil Brendle (aged 37, church bulletin banned by the Nazis for six months after writing criticism of their control of and interference in the churches and quoting Galatians "...false brethren unawares brought in, who came in privily to spy out our liberty which we have in Christ Jesus, that they might bring us into bondage")

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