

Today's Martyrs – June 1936

Thursday June 4, 1936



Russia: Crimea

Eduard Feist (aged 29, collective farm cashier, home in [Ashaga-Dzhamin, Taurida province](#) raided on [March 28, 1936](#), liturgical items used in clandestine Masses found; arrested on [March 29, 1936](#); **UPDATE**: released on his own recognizance)

Russia: Simferopol

Anton Josifovich Godzelikh (aged 49, church guard, arrested on March 29, 1936; **UPDATE**: released on his own recognizance)

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Friday June 19, 1936



Russia: Crimea

Eduard Feist (aged 29, collective farm cashier, home in [Ashaga-Dzhamin, Taurida province](#) raided on [March 28, 1936](#), liturgical items used in clandestine Masses found; arrested on [March 29, 1936](#); released on his own recognizance on [June 4, 1936](#); **UPDATE**: indicted, charges not proved)

Joseph Gauck (aged 63, parish council member, arrested on [March 29, 1936](#); **UPDATE**: sentenced to 7 years' imprisonment in a labor camp, fate unknown)

Phillip Kolsch (aged 28, arrested on [March 29, 1936](#); **UPDATE**: indicted)

Russia: Simferpol prison, Crimea

Bishop Alexander Frison (aged 61, arrested on [October 15, 1935](#), charged with “espionage on behalf of the Germans”, held in the prison basement; **UPDATE**: indicted on charges that “he had hidden in the church rosaries, crosses, little images, holy cards, leaflets with explanations for praying the rosary, and litanies printed in Roman script” and that a brochure with the phrase “in hellish swarms” was anti-Soviet)

Anton Enes (aged 60, farmer, lost his farm in [Yevpatoria, Crimea](#) in 1934 due to ‘backbreaking’ taxes, joined a workers' cooperative as a stable hand; arrested on [April 1, 1936](#) for being in contact with a priest; **UPDATE**: released after charges were not proved)

Filipp Bub (aged 33, collective farm worker, arrested on [April 15, 1936](#) in [Telmanov region, Crimea](#); **UPDATE**: sentenced to 7 years’ imprisonment in a labor camp, fate unknown)

Filippina Faut (aged 56, collective farm worker in [Dzhankoye](#), arrested in 1930 in the anti-kulak campaign, released; arrested on [April 6, 1935](#); **UPDATE**: charged)

Franz Faut (aged 36, collective farm worker, arrested in [Karamin, Taurida province](#) on [April 29, 1935](#); **UPDATE**: indicted, possibly convicted, fate unknown)

Maria Faut (aged 52, seamstress in [Dzhankoye](#), arrested in 1930 in the anti-kulak campaign, released; arrested on [April 6, 1935](#); **UPDATE**: indicted, convicted, fate unknown)

Fridrikh Bader (aged 27, collective farm stable hand, arrested and acquitted in 1935; arrested on [April 15, 1936](#) in the [Telmanov region, Crimea](#); **UPDATE**: sentenced to 7 years’ imprisonment in a labor camp, fate unknown)

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Wednesday June 24, 1936



Russia: Krasnoyarsk

Apollinaria Lisecka (aged 55, arrested on counter-revolutionary and espionage charges on [June 2, 1935](#); **UPDATE**: sentenced to 6 years' imprisonment in a labor camp, sent to Sibltag)

Stanislaw Kosiarski (aged 57, farmer, sent into internal exile from [Leticzew, Khmelnytskyi district, Ukraine](#) in 1930; arrested on [June 2, 1935](#); **UPDATE**: acquitted and released)

Stanislawa Besman (aged 42, railroad ticket agent, arrested on [July 24, 1935](#) on espionage and counter-revolutionary accusations; **UPDATE**: sentenced to 3 years’ imprisonment in a labor camp, fate unknown)

Russia: Novosibirsk prison

Fr Bronislaw Dunin-Wasowicz (aged 38, arrested on espionage charges in [May 1935](#), sent to [Krasnoyarsk Prison](#), released 10 months later; arrested on [March 31, 1936](#) for allegedly supporting the Polish Military Organization; **UPDATE**: sentenced to 10 years' imprisonment in a labor camp)

Fr Heronim Cerpento (aged 48, arrested in [Krasnoyarsk](#) on [June 2, 1935](#) on espionage and counter-revolutionary charges; **UPDATE**: sentenced to 10 years' imprisonment in a labor camp, transferred back to Krasnoyarsk)

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Friday June 26, 1936



Russia: Simferopol, Crimea

Konstantin Basyuk (aged 59, housing department employee, arrested on [February 15, 1936](#); **UPDATE**: indicted)

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Saturday June 27, 1936



Russia: Crimea

Phillip Kolsch (aged 28, arrested on [March 29, 1936](#); indicted on [June 19, 1936](#); **UPDATE**: transferred to Simferopol Prison)

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June 1936, date unknown



Russia: Krasnodar

Fr Karapet Diliurgian (aged 75, preached a homily in 1915 to the entire Armenian population of [Artvin, Turkey](#) that they give up their wealth to save their lives during the Genocide, collected their gold and bought their safe passage to the Caucasus; **UPDATE**: arrested)

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