

Today's Martyrs – February 1950

Wednesday February 8, 1950



Czechoslovakia: Vodnany

Fr Tomas Beranek (aged 62, arrested by the StB)

<http://www.ustrcr.cz/cs/tomas-beranek> - with translation

Saturday February 25, 1950



Czechoslovakia: Prague

Fr Josef Toufar (aged 47, arrested in [Cihost, Havlickuv Brod district](#) in [January 1950](#) and tortured by the StB secret police due to an alleged miracle in his church - alleged because he had not seen it himself; **UPDATE: died as a result of torture** in a state hospital under an alias, had been forced to sign a confession stating that he had staged the 'miracle')

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/%C4%8C%C3%ADho%C5%A1%C5%A5_miracle

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