

## Today's Martyrs – October 1971

**Monday October 4, 1971**



### **Lithuania: Varena**

Fr Algimantas Keina (convicted on [September 28, 1970](#), of violating religious regulations by allowing two minors to serve as altar servers and by stating that a Mass would be offered for the intentions of the children, fined 50 rubles; **UPDATE**: again tried on charges of violating religious regulations by allowing three minors to serve as altar servers, not permitted to explain himself, trial postponed)

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**Thursday October 7, 1971**



### **Lithuania: Varena**

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Vytas Kazlauskas (altar server, testified in tears that the vice-chair of the court had coerced his signature on the incriminating affidavit with threats that his school conduct grade would be lowered)

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