

Today's Martyrs – September 1988

Sunday September 11, 1988



Haiti: Port-au-Prince

Fr Jean-Bertrand Aristide SDB (aged 35, church surrounded by police and attacked by Tonton Macoute paramilitaries while presiding at Mass, **13-50 people killed**, church burned to the ground, escaped)

[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/St. Jean Bosco massacre](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/St._Jean_Bosco_massacre)

Friday September 16, 1988



Pakistan: Karachi

Fr Cyprian Dias OFM (aged 52, **killed**)

http://newsaints.faithweb.com/new_martyrs/Pakistan.htm

Wednesday September 21, 1988



United States: Manhattan, New York

John Winter (aged 77, church usher, **beaten to death** in St. Patrick's Cathedral by a mentally ill man)

<http://www.nytimes.com/1988/09/22/nyregion/naked-man-slays-usher-in-cathedral-and-is-killed.html>

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