

Today's Martyrs – June 1938

Tuesday June 7, 1938



Russia: Moscow

Fr Jonah (aged 59, arrested in [Alpatyeva](#) on [February 24, 1938](#) on counter-revolutionary charges;
UPDATE: sentenced to death)

<http://afonit.info/biblioteka/nasledie-russkogo-monastyrya/svyatye-russkie-svyatogortsy-postradvshie-za-khrista-vo-vremya-bogoborcheskikh-gonenij-v-sssr> - with translation

Thursday June 9, 1938



Spain: Turon, Granada

Luciano Verdejo Acuna (aged 52, husband, **killed**)

<http://newsaints.faihtweb.com/martyrs/MSPC42.htm>

Friday June 10, 1938



Austria

Fr Konrad Just OC (arrested by the Nazis, interrogated on [March 12, 1938](#); prohibited from public ministry on [March 16, 1938](#), later released; **UPDATE:** rearrested, sent to Linz prison)

http://www.microsofttranslator.com/bv.aspx?from=de&to=en&a=http%3A%2F%2Fde.wikipedia.org%2Fwiki%2FKonrad_Just



Spain: Vall d'Alba, Castellon

Fr Jose Manuel Claramonte Agut (aged 45, **killed**)

<http://newsaints.faitweb.com/martyrs/MSPC39.htm>

Saturday June 11, 1938



Russia: Ukhtpechlag labor camp, Chibiu, Komi ASSR

Fr Feliks Kasperowicz (aged 43, arrested in [Dzyarzhynsk, Belarus](#) on [January 28, 1934](#); sentenced on [February 26, 1934](#) to 10 years' imprisonment in a labor camp, sent to [Karltag](#) in [Kazakhstan](#); transferred in [September 1936](#) to Ukhtpechlag in [Russia](#); **UPDATE:** transferred to Vorkutlag)

<https://biographies.library.nd.edu/catalog/biography-1012>

Sunday June 12, 1938



Spain: Castellon

Fr Alfredo Sanchis Bordoy (aged 68, **killed**)

<http://newsaints.faitweb.com/martyrs/MSPC43.htm>

Friday June 17, 1938



Germany: Dachau Concentration Camp

Fr Franz Ohnmacht (arrived)

[https://de.wikipedia.org/wiki/Pfarrerblock_\(KZ_Dachau\)](https://de.wikipedia.org/wiki/Pfarrerblock_(KZ_Dachau)) - with translation

Monday June 20, 1938



Ukraine: Kharkiv

Archbishop Aleksandr Feofanovich Petrovsky (aged 86; church in [Poltava province](#) closed in 1919; **UPDATE**: arrested for refusing to share his church building with the collaborative Living Church)

https://www.fatheralexander.org/booklets/english/alex_har_e.htm

Tuesday June 21, 1938



Ukraine

Jozefa Janowska (aged 44, arrested in [Ratum, Volodarsk region](#) on [November 29, 1937](#); **UPDATE**: sentenced to 5 years' internal exile, fate unknown)

Ukraine: Volhynia province

Konstancja Janicka (aged 55, arrested on [October 26, 1937](#); **UPDATE**: sentenced to 5 years' internal exile, fate unknown)

<https://biographies.library.nd.edu/catalog/biography-0350>

<https://biographies.library.nd.edu/catalog/biography-0355>

Thursday June 23, 1938



British Mandate for Palestine – now Israel: Beit Jimal, Bet Shemesh, Yerushalayim

Fr Mario Rosin SDB (aged 62, Italian citizen, **killed**)

http://newsaints.faihwweb.com/new_martyrs/Israel.htm



Austria: Dorfgastein

Fr Andreas Rieser (aged 29, arrested)

Germany: Rottenburg

Bishop Johannes Baptista Sproll (apartment stormed by Nazis)

https://de.wikipedia.org/wiki/Andreas_Rieser – with translation

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Johannes_Baptista_Sproll

Monday June 27, 1938



Germany: Oldenburg

Fr Franz Vorwerk (ordered by the Gestapo to leave the city, refused to leave the position assigned him by Bishop von Galen)

https://openlibrary.org/books/OL26246325M/The_Lion_of_Munster

Thursday June 30, 1938



Germany: Oldenburg

Fr Franz Vorwerk (ordered by the Gestapo on **June 27, 1938** to leave the city, refused to leave the position assigned him by Bishop von Galen; **UPDATE**: driven by police to Munster and dropped off at the cathedral)

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