

DESNOULET Auguste

Was born in Tourcoing in the diocese of Lille on 24th October 1844. He took his vows as a Redemptorist in Saint-Nicolas-du-Port on 15th October 1867 and was ordained priest on 18th December 1869. Sent to the recently established South American foundations, he proved himself a capable missionary. Recalled to Europe, he was sent to the French foundations in Spain, where he served as Visitor from 1886 to 1893. Transferred once more to South America, he was Visitor to the houses in Ecuador, Colombia, Chile and Peru. Father Desnoulet was a great pioneer, founding houses in Espino and Astorga in Spain and in Santiago in Chile and Huanta in Peru. He died in Lima on 20th August 1918.

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