

FORTNER Johann Nepomuk

Was born in Manetin in the diocese of Prague on 23rd December 1799. He took his vows as a Redemptorist in Vienna on 29th September 1823 and was ordained priest also in Vienna on 21st August 1825. He was consultor to the Vicar General, Father Passerat, from 1832 to 1835. In 1835 he was sent as superior to the foundation to

be made in Philippolis, Bulgaria, where he was invested with the authority of Vicar Apostolic. He succumbed to the hard conditions of the mission and died on 16th February 1836.

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