

JANAUSCHEK Wilhelm

Was born in Vienna on 23rd October 1859. He took his vows as a Redemptorist in Mautern on 28th April 1878 and was ordained priest also in Mautern on 29th August 1882. After ordination he was appointed to teach humanities in Mautern. In 1885 he was appointed Director of the juvenate in Leoben and in 1890 novice master. From 1901 to 1907 he was Austrian provincial, and he continued to hold various offices until his death. In spite of his very busy life he was always happy to take part in missions, which he preached in various parts of Austria and Germany and even on one occasion in Russia. All his life he was devoted to the confessional and attracted penitents of all classes. His extraordinary holiness of life was evident to all, but it never prevented his being regarded as an agreeable and cheerful companion. Father Janauschek died in Vienna on 30th June 1926. The cause of his beatification has been introduced in Rome.

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