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Fr ROBERT ORD

22 May 1876 – 29 January 1955



Born in Newcastle, NE England, Robert Ord was educated at Stonyhurst and entered the Society in 1896. He taught for five years in the French Jesuit College in Alexandria, Egypt, and then at St Aidan's for 44 years.

His life is described as 'busy but uneventful'. He was devoted to his work in the preparatory school and tried to take an interest in games though he had no aptitude for it. He would be more interested in a boy bowling 'wides' than in one getting wickets!