

2 August

24 December 1848 – 2 August 1885

Fr. Manuel GABRIEL

He was born in Milicz, Poland, on December 24, 1848, and entered the Society of Jesus on March 23, 1867, in the Province of Galicia. He was sent to the Zambezia Mission in 1880 where he worked in the Lower Zambezia (Mozambique), in 1881. He lived and worked in Mopeia and Quelimane. He was appointed Superior of Lower Zambezia in 1884. He died on an island of the Zambezi River, near the village of Nhamassugo, on August 2, 1885, on the way to Zumbo, where himself and Bro. Prihoda wanted to start a new mission.

(Cf. APSI, 311/10, Necrológio; Catalogus Defunctorum in renata Societate Iesu ab a. 1814 ad a. 1970)