BRUCHMANN Franz Von

Was born in Vienna on 5th April 1798. After gaining the doctorate in Law in the university of Vienna he worked in the imperial government service until the death of his wife, when he applied to be admitted among the Redemptorists. He took his vows in Mautern on 14th July 1832 and was ordained priest on 28th July 1833. From 1835 until 1841 he was superior and novice master in Eggenburg and then first superior in Altötting from 1841 to 1847. He was the Austrian provincial from 1847 to 1849. After the dispersal of the province he was superior of the houses in Germany until he became provincial of the newly erected German province in 1853. He retained that office until 1865. Father Bruchmann died in Gars on 23rd May 1867.

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