

Saint Florian

Saint Florian is known to be the protector of Firefighters and continues to watch down upon all who take on this noble calling. He was a third century officer with the Roman Army, stationed in modern Austria and a closet Christian, who was sentenced to death by fire for his beliefs. Because of his stance and resistance to death by fire, St. Florian became the protector of firefighters all over the world.



Austria (1903)



Austria (1998)

Both stamps show Florian with a bucket of water



St. Florian Monastery, Austria Maximum Card (1986)



St Florian cds on Austria Registered Postal Stationery Card, dated 1 June 1956 and a different cds below (1956)

