

December 22

THE CHURCHES REMEMBER...

WESTERN CATHOLICS:

Isidore (d. ca. 636), bishop of Seville (Spanish-Mozarabic calendar)

COPTS AND ETHIOPIANS (13 kiyahk/tahsas):

Conception of the Virgin by Anna (Coptic Orthodox Church and Ethiopian Church)

Hadra of Assuan (4th-5th cent.), monk and bishop (Coptic-Catholic Church)

LUTHERANS:

Dwight Liman Moody (d. 1899), preacher of the revival in North America

MARONITES:

Anastasia Pharmacolytria (the Healer) (3rd-4th cent.), martyr

ORTHODOX CHRISTIANS AND GREEK CATHOLICS:

Anastasia Pharmacolytria (the Healer), megalomartyr