Abstract

The thesis concentrates on the Dominican convent and parish in a North Bohemian town Jablonné v Podještědí during the period between the Battle of the White Mountain and the dissolution of the convent by Joseph II. in the 1780s. Based on the archival historical sources, the thesis attempts to depict the history of the convent and describe the chosen aspects of the church administration, religious life and piety. The work centres around the activity of the Dominicans in the parish administration and around their relations to the parish and the manorial lords of Jablonné. Furthermore, the piety and the religious life of parishioners are outlined and also the efforts to found the brotherhood of St. Joseph are studied.

Keywords

Jablonné v Podještědí; Gabel; Dominicans; parish; church administration; baroque piety; religious life; religious brotherhoods; 17th and 18th century