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You need a unique program in Quebec, some facts, tourist routes, a Christmas market map, a Bus parking map for Montreal and Quebec City, a Lighthouse map, Rules of Conduct in a Holy Place, and more.

Christmas Markets in the Province of Québec

Many websites are available (and sorry, many in French only) to have a general view of all markets in the province of Québec, such as:

- BonjourQuébec <u>bonjourquebec.com/en/explore/seasons/winter</u>
- Marchés des Fêtes ampg.ca/fetes
- Marchés de Noël du Québec <u>lesmarchesdenoelduquebec.com</u>

Farmers' Market

Don't forget to visit the Farmers' Market website in Montréal and Québec City to take part in some exciting activities during this festive time:

Montréal

marchespublics-mtl.com/en/

Québec City

legrandmarchedequebec.com/en/

Maps

Finally, we put together two special Google Maps with all the major Christmas Markets in the province. You can find them on our Toolbox page under the "Maps Section."

Webinars

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FREE webinar series on Québec and other destinations during the year. Also, we offer some training webinars in partnership with Bienvenue Ouébec.

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This organization's goal, born of a need shared by Quebec's highly sacred sites and the tourist regions where they are found, is to promote these jewels' spiritual richness and heritage beyond the province's borders.

Members

More than 30 members are located in eight different regions in the province of Quebec. From museums, accommodations, restaurants, and services to a spiritual retreat, worship, tourism, and cooking classes!

Services

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Opening of the Holy Door – Québec city

ecdq.org

(See attached product profile.)

From **December 8, 2023, to December 8, 2024**. To celebrate its Diocesan Jubilee (350th Anniversary) and the history of the Faith in America, the Notre-Dame de Québec Basilica-Cathedral opens its Holy Door. Please review the enclosed profile sheet and our feature on our toolbox page.

The Holy Door is an actual door located in the wall of the Sacred Heart Chapel of the Basilica-Cathedral of Notre-Dame de Québec on the cathedral's north side. Having one is an exceptional privilege authorized by the Holy See. The Holy Door of Quebec was inaugurated in 2013 on the 350th Anniversary of the founding of Notre-Dame de

Québec parish, the first parish in North America, north of the Spanish colonies of those days.

There are only seven in the world. Six are in Europe:

- 1. Basilica of Santa Maria in Collemaggio, L'Aquila, Italy.
- 2. Basilica of Santa Maria Maggiore, Rome, Italy.
- 3. Basilica of St. John Lateran, Rome, Italy.
- 4. Basilica of St. Paul Outside the Walls, Rome, Italy
- 5. Basilica of St. Peter, Vatican.
- Cathedral of Santiago de Compostela, Santiago de Compostela, Spain.
- Notre-Dame de Québec Cathedral Basilica, Québec City, Canada.

The Holy Door of the Basilica-Cathedral of Quebec is the only one outside Europe. People from all walks of life who pass through a Holy Door do so as a spiritual itinerary. The Holy Door is linked to the pilgrimage experience, a symbol of human life, of the earthly passage towards a horizon of eternity, during which one encounters God on one's life journey. The Door symbolizes Jesus Christ, who said: "I am the Door. No one goes to the father without passing through me."

Diocese de Québec

fetes350.ca

It's time for the Catholic Church in Quebec City to celebrate its 350th Anniversary!

The KAPOAH Compostela

kapoah.com

The Kapoah or Compostela in Canada is made up of three main trails that complement each other to form a single path of approximately 500 km of international calibre: the Sentier Notre-Dame de Québec (150 km), the Sentier Notre-Dame Kapatakan (217 km) and Le Fjord-Charlevoix crossing trail (130 km). The Kapoah will be accessible annually in 2024 from July 1 to the 2nd Monday in October to ensure the best climatic conditions.

Spiritours – Holy Door in Quebec

spiritours.com

(See attached product profile.)

Pilgrimage to Montreal, Quebec, and the Holy Door – 6 days: Celebrate the Jubilee Year at the first Catholic Parish in North America (Canada and USA) and gain Plenary Indulgence by walking through the only Holy Door in the Americas.

Historic Site Marguerite Bourgeoys margueritebourgeoys.org

Our recipe books: a gastronomic portrait of Quebec! – 2025-2026. It will trace the history of Quebec cookbooks from yesterday to today. Exploring this fascinating part of history will also shed light on our society through the ages, values and good manners, relations between women and men, and cultural influences from elsewhere. It will also be an opportunity to highlight the contribution of the Congregation de Notre Dame in teaching cooking to generations of Quebecers and the prominent place of the nuns' flagship work, <u>La cuisine</u> raisonnée, whose 100th Anniversary was celebrated in 2019.

Musée des Ursulines

musee-ursulines.qc.ca

Nuns, Teachers, and Scientists! – Until April 7, 2024. The exhibition also presents the winding path that led women to be able to study and work in science, with limited options for them until the 1960s. Broadcast in the exhibition are the testimonies of contemporary scientists.

Musée des Hospitalières

museedeshospitalieres.qc.ca

(See attached product profile.)

Crypt and the Chapel: Opening the Hospitallers' crypt for the 350th Anniversary of Jeanne Mance's death. The Hospitallers' crypt dates to 1861 and is a unique scene in Montreal. It is open to the public by reservation only on the 350th Anniversary of Jeanne Mance's death. This is explained by her essential role as founder of the Hotel-Dieu and cofounder of the city of Montreal. Her remains rest in this crypt since 1861, when the Hospitallers moved from Old Montreal to the current site, now with more than 600 Hospitaller nuns who came after her.

Our Mountain Memories of Mount Royal: Produced on the bicentennial birth of Mount Royal Park's designer, American landscape architect Frederick Law Olmstead (1822-1903), the exhibit focuses on the issues linked to this icon of Montreal. It also addresses the development and preservation of Mount Royal, whose occupation by the Indigenous nations dates back more than 5,000 years. The museum offers the opportunity to continue the guided tour directly on Mount Royal with a Les Amis de la Montagne guide.

Garden: Guided Tour of the Monastery Garden: Behind the cloister wall. The Hospitallers' garden, which used to be the most crucial orchard on the island of Montreal, is still hidden behind the cloister wall that separated the monastery from the rest of society. Primarily used for growing food and medicinal plants from 1861, then gradually transformed into an ornamental garden, it played an essential role for the Hôtel-Dieu and its patients.

Coming in 2025!

The Museum of the Hospitallers of the Hôtel-Dieu of Montreal welcomes Jana Sterbak: Transplantation. Multidisciplinary artist of international renown, Jana Sterbak, exhibited regularly in Quebec and Canada, as well as in New York, Chicago, Barcelona, Venice and more. This exhibit, which will take place from January 2025 to August 2025, will create a dialogue between her multifaceted and complex art about the human body and the museum's collection.

Medicine and Charity: the hotel-Dieu, from Medieval Times to New France. Produced in collaboration with many hotel-Dieu in France, some of which were founded by 13th-century aristocrats, the exhibit will present the history behind the hotel-Dieu in France and Quebec at a time when the body and the soul were treated. This will be a unique opportunity to witness classified cultural heritage artifacts presented for the

first time outside France. The exhibit will take place from **September 2025 to September 2026**.

Shrine Notre-Dame de Rocamadour

rocamadour.ca

(See attached product profile.)

Stella Nivis: Starting in the **spring of 2024**, a presentation that immerses us in an immersive universe oscillating between mystery and realism. A mix of historical, patrimonial, and architectural elements intermingled with fables and fantasy, allowing us to live a moment of incredible beauty and wonder accessible to the whole family.

Les Sanctuaires du Fleuve

sanctuairesdufleuve.com

(See attached product profile.)

Five places to discover from the Mohawk community to the first Canadian-born saint village. In 2023, Les Sanctuaires du Fleuve will add two other attractions and a series of unique itineraries:

The church of La-Nativité-de-la-Sainte-Vierge: Built in 1840-1841. Built during the significant economic boom that La Prairie experienced thanks to the construction of the first railroad in Canada, it was considered the most essential rural church in the Montreal diocese at its inauguration.

A guided tour of this church can be complemented by a visit to the **Musée archéologique du Roussillon** near this sanctuary. It showcases the rich heritage of the 11 towns in the region. Discover over 5,000 years of history through more than 200,000 artifacts from the area.

Seven new itineraries

Discover places rich in cultural treasures: This tour offers a clever mix of architecture and priceless works of art and paintings by Guido Nincheri on the site of the birthplace of Marguerite d'Youville, Canada's first "saint." *Historical heritage - artworks - paintings - gardens - architecture.*

Discover the richness of our cultural and architectural heritage: Immerse yourself in the history of larger-than-life characters who forged Quebec's history. Admire the architecture of the Saint-Antoine-de-Padoue Co-Cathedral, impressive with its 85-meter-high bell tower, the carved wooden pulpit with its abatvoix staircase and statues made in 1865, a priceless work of art at the La Nativité Church and the 18th-century buildings of the SNJM site. Historical figures - cultural heritage - artworks - native artifacts - heritage - architecture.

Get off the beaten track: A tour to discover the aboriginal, historical and natural heritage by visiting the Manoir d'Youville site combined with a wildlife reserve on the shores of Lake Saint-Louis and the sanctuary dedicated to the first aboriginal "saint": Kateri Tekakwitha. *Historical figures - cultural heritage - gardens - wildlife refuge - native artifacts - heritage.*

Immerse yourself in the rich heritage of the Saint Lawrence River Shrines: Take advantage of this tour to discover the secrets of seven places that are not to be missed, both because of their history and because of the remarkable works of craftsmen and great artists, such as Guido Nincheri, from Varennes to Châteauguay along the St. Lawrence River. Historical figures - cultural heritage - gardens - wildlife refuge - native artifacts - heritage - artworks - paintings - history - architecture.

See what the Saint Lawrence River Shrines offer: A visit that will show you the well-preserved heritage of the past, the stories of daring women and men and the exceptional cultural and artistic treasures from Chateauguay to Varennes, south of the St. Lawrence River. Historical figures - cultural heritage - gardens - wildlife refuge - native artifacts - heritage - artworks - paintings - history - architecture.

Religious Heritage Sites: The circuit of places of religious and spiritual tourism invites us to discover large parts of our history and culture that are often unknown. Consisting mainly of architectural gems, this circuit is full of treasures from the past in several forms: artifacts, objects of worship, archival documents, and historic buildings.

Religious Figures: From Saint Marguerite d'Youville to Blessed Marie Rose Durocher, from Blessed Louis-Zéphirin Moreau to Venerable Élisabeth Bergeron and Catherine-Aurélie Caouette, from Saint-Brother-André to Blessed Marie-Léonie Paradis, the 2-day /1 night will allow visitors to discover two men and five women from the region, whom each in their way shaped the life of the Church in Canada by the holiness of their lives.

Hotel Manoir D'Youville

manoirdvouville.ca

Located on Île Saint-Bernard in Châteauguay, 40 minutes from downtown Montréal, on the shores of the Châteauguay River and Lac Saint-Louis, Manoir D'Youville is an exceptional resort that boasts a 114-room hotel and eight meeting rooms, located in a lush, tranquil setting where nature meets culture.

Monasteriorum Pilgrim Road mona

monasteriorum.com

The Monasteriorum Pilgrimage Trail is a 28-kilometre walking trail located north of Lac-Saint-Jean, between Dolbeau-Mistassini and Saint-Eugène-d'Argentenay.

Recognized internationally for his brilliant accomplishments, artisan Albert Gilles developed a specialization in crafting ornamentation for churches, basilicas, and cathedrals, including the impressive main doors of the St. Anne-de-Beaupré Basilica. Admire 90 years of incomparable know-how in the art of embossed copper.

Ermitage Saint-Antoine de Lac-Bouchette st-antoine.org

(See attached product profile.)

Inauguration of the new museum floor in 2024; the 3rd floor exhibition features work by Brother Guy Bruneau, a Capuchin friar. Brother Guy Bruneau was a Capuchin friar who died in 2002. His main activities were teaching art and producing paintings. He designed stained glass windows for several

churches, including the Chapelle Mariale and Notre Dame church in Roberval. In 2025 - 100th Anniversary of Capuchin's presence at the Ermitage.

Château Dufresne

chateaudufresne.com

(See attached product profile.)

Until June 30, 2024 - celebrate the 50th Anniversary of master glassmaker, painter-decorator, and fresco painter Guido Nincheri's passing (1885-1973), Château Dufresne, a museum and heritage site, proudly celebrates this artist of national significance.

Albert Gilles Copper Art

albertgilles.com

(See attached product profile.)

Be sure to visit both museums to fully appreciate the magnitude of Gilles' talent. Here, you can learn about the life of this humble artist and see the diversity of the works he

produced, including for such notables as Walt and Roy Disney, Mandelson Chrysler, and Pope Pius XII. Explore a copper mine and see how ore is transformed into beautiful works of art.

Today, Gilles' wife, daughters and granddaughters are maintaining his legacy. Before you leave the site, visit the museum boutique, where an extensive selection of embossed copper artwork can be found. Experience their Copper Art Workshop activity. Discover their two museums: "From Copper ore to Copper Art" and their "Christorama" museum. Combine your visit with teatime on-site.

Saint Marguerite D'Youville Sanctuary sanctuaireyouville.ca

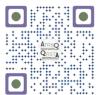
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Starting in June 2024, a new temporary exhibit entitled "The Daughters of Marguerite Pioneers in the West" will be presented at the Saint Marguerite d'Youville Sanctuary in Varennes.

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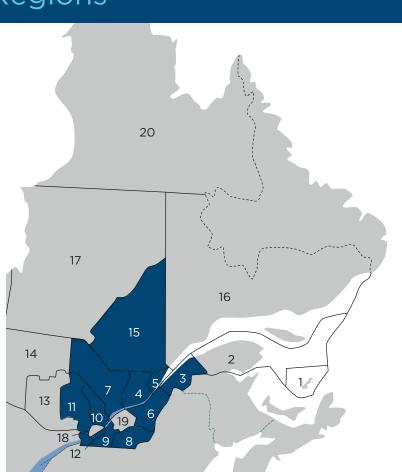


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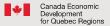
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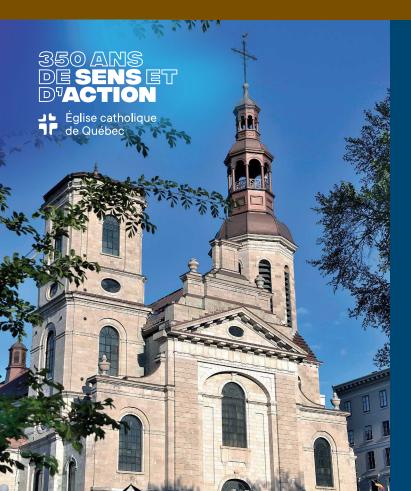
The Diocese of Quebec celebrates 350 years of existence in 2024 (1774-2024). To mark the opening of the jubilee year, the Holy Door of Notre-Dame de Québec Cathedral Basilica will be opened on December 8, 2023. The 350th anniversary celebrations will close on December 8, 2024.

It's the only Holy Door outside Europe! It welcomes people from all walks of life who wish to take a spiritual journey through it.

Who is it for? Anyone, individually or as a family, is welcome to pass through the Holy Door. They will be welcomed and provided with appropriate documentation. Please note that the facilities will be designed to accommodate people with reduced mobility.

Information for groups: Groups of more than 10 people are asked to register for the pilgrimage as soon as they have made their decision. Early registration will enable the group to benefit from a convenient schedule and the accompaniment of a pastoral animator. Groups are usually welcomed in one of Old Quebec's heritage chapels, from where they walk to the cathedral. Allow half a day for the proposed pilgrimage (see https://portesaintequebec.ca/fr/pelerinage, for a typical itinerary). For more information on the Holy Door and pilgrimages: secretariat@pelerinagequebec.ca





POSSIBLE ADDITIONS: Other heritage sites and shrines in the region will also be accessible. To register for a group pilgrimage: https://pelerinagequebec.ca

DID YOU KNOW THAT ... in its inaugural year, 2014, 335,000 people crossed the threshold of the only Holy Door in the Americas.

OPENING: The Cathedral Basilica will be open for prayer for pilgrims, with or without registration, all day long.

OPENING HOURS and further information: https://holydoorquebec.ca/en/holy-door

COST: Pilgrims will be asked to make a voluntary donation.

We are members of the ATRSQ.



Celebrating 350 years of existence!

From December 8, 2023 to December 8, 2024, the Catholic Church in Quebec City will celebrate its founding anniversary (1674). Thousands of people are expected to attend throughout the year. They will be invited to rediscover the history of the Christian community through activities for all.

DID YOU KNOW THAT... The territory of the Diocese of Quebec originally stretched as far as the banks of the Mississippi. This first Catholic diocese gave rise to more than 150 dioceses over the years!



Activities not to be missed

An outline of the program is already available at www.fetes350.ca.

- Holiday Opening, December 8, 2023. The general public is invited to join the festivities on Place de l'Hôtel-de-Ville, for festive musical entertainment and special activities, co-ordinated in collaboration with the German Christmas Market team.
- The 350th anniversary will see the inauguration of a "Compostelle"-style pilgrimage from La Malbaie to the Holy Door, via Sainte-Anne-de-Beaupré. From July to October 2024, it will enable hikers from all over the world to criss-cross the majestic Charlevoix mountains for a few days or a few weeks. Information at www.kapoah.com
- Throughout the year, the pilgrimage experience will offer an itinerary of historic land-marks in Old Quebec. Meet the founders of the Church in North America: Saint François de Laval, Saint Marie de l'Incarnation and Blessed Marie-Catherine de Saint-Augustin. Information at www.pelerinagequebec.ca
- Another must-see: During the summer of 2024, a guided tour of rarely accessible sites will be made available, allowing visitors to discover the Séminaire de Québec, the cathedral crypt and the Archbishop's palace. Information will be available on our website: fetes350.ca.
- In addition to these flagship activities, we'll be hosting a number of concerts, conferences and exhibitions, notably at the Musée de la Civilisation!

For further information, contact us at communications@ecdq.org

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PILGRIMAGE to Montreal, Quebec and the Holy Door

HOLY DOOR OPENED FROM DEC. 8TH 2023 TO DEC. 31ST, 2025

Celebrate the Jubilee Year at the first Catholic Parish in North America (Canada and USA). Gain Plenary Indulgence by walking through the only Holy Door in the Americas.

Day 1: MONTREAL

Arrive in **Montreal** (our tour escort will meet your group). In the afternoon, visit St Patrick's Basilica and Mary Queen of the World Cathedral. Transfer to your hotel. Welcome dinner in a nice restaurant downtown. Overnight in **Montreal.**

Day 2: MONTREAL

In the morning, mass at **St-Joseph's Oratory of Mount-Royal** followed by a guided tour of this jewel of Canadian heritage, founded at the beginning of the 20th century by Saint Brother André, a man of God with unshakable faith. After having climbed the stairway to the most beautiful panoramic view of **Montreal**, after discovering the crypt and visiting the Votive Chapel, let us walk through the gardens and follow the Way of the Cross for an unforgettable moment of reflection. In the afternoon, panoramic tour of **Montreal**. Return to the hotel around 4 p.m. Free time for relaxing and for dinner. In the evening, enjoy the sound and light show at **Notre Dame Basilica** presenting the birth of **Montreal** and highlighting the

Basilica's legacy and its many outstanding works of art. Overnight in Montreal.

Day 3: MONTREAL - SAINTE ANNE DE BEAUPRÉ

Early departure to **Sainte Anne de Beaupré**. En route, stop at **the Copper Art of Albert Gilles** and discover 85 years of savoir faire. The artist decorated many churches in North America. Be moved by his religious inspirations.

Then visit the **Basilica of Sainte-Anne-de-Beaupré**, an important pilgrimage place credited by the Catholic Church with many miracles of curing the sick and disabled. It receives about a half-million pilgrims each year.

In the afternoon, continue to **Québec city** and check into your hotel. Free time for dinner in the old Quebec. *In the evening, concert at Notre Dame de Québec (optional)*. Overnight in Quebec.

Day 4: QUÉBEC

In the morning, pilgrimage to the Holy Door of **Notre-Dame de Québec**, then celebrate mass at Notre Dame de Québec cathedral, the oldest parish in North America.









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In the afternoon, guided tour with the Corporation du Patrimoine et du tourisme religieux de Québec, explore **Québec City**, discover this UNESCO World Heritage site, meet the three Blessed Founders of the Canadian Church: Mgr François de Laval, first bishop of Québec inside the Cathedral he built; Marie de l'Incarnation, founder of the Ursuline Nuns of Québec in their exterior chapel; and Catherine de Saint-Augustin, spiritual founder of the Augustinian Nuns of l'Hôtel-Dieu de Québec (first hospital) inside their monastery. Finish at the church Notre-Dame-des-Victoires. Overnight in **Québec city**.

Day 5: OUÉBEC - WENDAKE - ORLEANS ISLAND - OUÉBEC

In the morning, optional tour to **Wendake**, the Huron-Wendat museum which recalls native memories and knowledge. **The Old Wendake** offers other interests like the Tsawenhohi House, Notre Dame de Lorette church, the Kabir Kouba falls and a wendat fresco. Route to **Île d'Orléans** (island) marking the border between the St. Lawrence River and estuary, which is presently the largest historical district of Québec. Fairwell dinner at the **Sugar Shack**, a place of tradition and culture. Enjoy a typical meal as well as traditional music entertainment. Overnight in Quebec.



Early departure to **Trois-Rivières:** it is under the watchful eye of Mary, Mother of Jesus that we pass our morning at **Our Lady of the Cape Shrine**, the largest Marian

shrine in Canada. The visit to the Little Sanctuary which is reputed to be one of the oldest churches in Canada (1720) and of the Basilica will open our eyes to two major events which occurred here: the miraculous ice bridge and the Miracle of the Eyes. We will ponder the symphony of colors, the beauty of the stained glass work of the Basilica with depict among other things, the life of Mary.

Continue to Montreal airport or tour extension.

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Our Guided Tours



Our Mountain. Memories of Mount-Royal

UNTIL DECEMBER, 31 2024

Produced on the bicentennial birth of Mount-Royal Park's designer, American landscape architect Frederick Law Olmstead (1822-1903), the exhibit focuses on the issues linked to this icon of Montreal. It also addresses the development and preservation of Mount-Royal, of which the occupation by the Indigenous nations dates back more than 5 000 years.

DURATION : 60 MINUTES | COST : \$8/ PERSON
GUIDED TOUR AND FREE ADMISSION TO THE PERMANENT EXHIBITION



The Monastery Garden: Behind the cloister wall

MAY TO SEPTEMBER

The Hospitallers' garden, which used to be the most important orchard on the island of Montreal, is still hidden behind the cloister wall that separated the monastery from the rest of society. Primarily used for growing food and medicinal plants from 1861, then gradually transformed into an ornamental garden, it played an important role for the Hôtel-Dieu and its patients.

DURATION: 90 MINUTES | COST: \$12 / PERSON GUIDED TOUR AND FREE ADMISSION TO EXHIBITIONS



The Hospitallers' crypt: The anniversary of Jeanne Mance's death (1673-2023)

SEPTEMBER TO APRIL

The Hospitallers' crypt, that dates back to 1861, is a unique scene in Montreal. It is open for the public by reservation only, on the occasion of the 350th anniversary of Jeanne Mance's death. This is explained by her important role as founder of the Hôtel-Dieu and cofounder of the city of Montreal. Her remains rest in this crypt since 1861, now with more than 600 Hospitaller nuns who came after her.

DURATION: 90 MINUTES | COST: \$12 / PERSON GUIDED TOUR AND FREE ADMISSION TO EXHIBITIONS

Coming Up, two exhibits in 2025 that you won't want to miss!

The Museum of the Hospitallers of the Hôtel-Dieu of Montreal welcomes Jana Sterbak: Transplantation

Multidisciplinary artist of international renown, Jana Sterbak exhibited regularly in Quebec and Canada, as in New-York, Chicago, Barcelona, Venice and more. This exhibit, which will take place from January to August 2025, will create a dialogue between her multifaceted and complex art about the human body and the museums' collection.

JANUARY 2025 TO AUGUST 2025

Medicine and Charity: the hotel-Dieu, from Medieval Times to New-France

Produced in collaboration with many hotel-Dieu in France, some of which were founded by 13th-century aristocrats, the exhibit will present the history behind the hotel-Dieu in France and in Quebec at a time when not only the body, but the soul, were treated. This will be a unique opportunity to witness classified cultural heritage artefacts presented for the very first time outside of France. The exhibit will take place from September 2025 to September 2026.

SEPTEMBER 2025 TO SEPTEMBER 2026



















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History Museum Medical History Museum

The first and only hospital in Montreal until 1822, the Hôtel-Dieu was founded by Jeanne Mance and then administered by the Hospitallers of Saint-Joseph who came to lend her a hand in 1659.

The Musée des Hospitalières de l'Hôtel-Dieu de Montréal offers to groups many thematic tours highlighting the heritage site of the monastery, the chapel, the crypt and the garden, an iconic symbol of the Mount Royal protected area of the city.

Information and group bookings

Front desk and ticketing (514) 849-2919 reservations@museedeshospitalieres.qc.ca

Booking is recommended at least 3 weeks in advance.

Tours are designed for groups up to 56 people maximum. Exceptions apply.

The organizer for each group benefits from a free ticket.

The Museum can accommodate groups that wish to bring their own meal. A reservation is required.

Services

Reception desk Cloakroom Gift Shop **Bathrooms** Modular room for groups (56 places) Bus drop-off location Access ramp, elevators

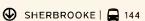


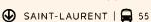


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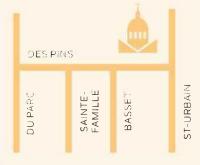
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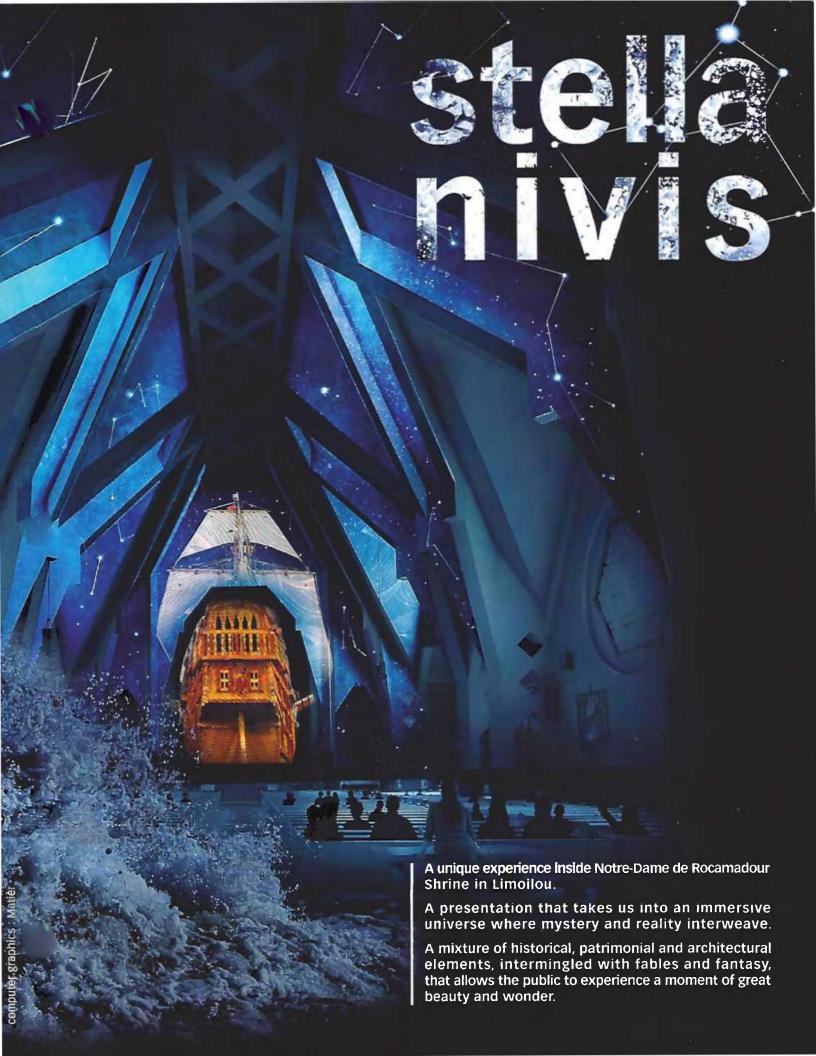
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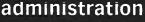
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CIRCUIT 1 VARENNES – BOUCHERVILLE ROUTE 1

10 h Église Sainte-Famille, 560 boulevard Marie-Victorin, Boucherville, QC J4B 1X1

Midi Le Saint-Laurent Café Bistro, 578 rue Saint-Charles, Boucherville, QC J4B 3N4

Coût: CAD 35 (Taxes et service inclus)

14 h Sanctuaire Sainte-Marguerite d'Youville, 201 Rue Sainte-Anne, Varennes, QC J3X 1R6

Le mini circuit Varennes-Boucherville propose trois lieux à visiter qui mettent en valeur la richesse du patrimoine religieux et la découverte de l'œuvre d'une femme dévouée aux autres, Marguerite d'Youville, première Canadienne nommée sainte. Le centre d'exposition dédiée à cette dernière illustre bien son parcours. Juste à côté, la Basilique Sainte-Anne (1887) regorge de particularités architecturales et patrimoniales tout comme sa consœur à Boucherville, où s'élève l'église Sainte-Famille qui abrite le plus remarquable maître-autel de la province; chef-d'œuvre de la sculpture ancienne au Québec.



Église Sainte-Famille - Maître autel High altar at Sainte - Famille Church



Baslique Sainte-Anne - Coupole des années folles Dome from the roaring twenties - Basilica Saint Anne

10 a.m. Sainte-Famille Church, 560 boulevard Marie-Victorin, Boucherville, QC J4B 1X1

Noon Le Saint-Laurent Café Bistro, 578 rue Saint-Charles, Boucherville, QC J4B 3N4

• Cost: CAD 35 (Taxes and service included)

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2 p.m. Sainte-Marguerite d'Youville sanctuary, 201 Rue Sainte-Anne, Varennes, QC J3X 1R6

The Varennes-Boucherville mini-tour offers three sites to visit, highlighting the richness of our religious heritage and the work of a woman devoted to others, Marguerite d'Youville, the first Canadian to be named a saint. The Marguerite d'Youville Exhibition Centre is an exemplary illustration of her life's work. Next door, the Basilique Sainte-Anne (1887) is brimming with architectural and heritage features, as is its sister church in Boucherville, where the Sainte-Famille church houses the most remarkable high altar in the province, a masterpiece of early sculpture in Quebec.

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	CIRCUIT 2	Longueuil – La Prairie	ROUTE 2
10 h	Cocathédrale Sa	aint-Antoine de Padoue, 55 Rue Ste Élizabeth, Longu	euil, QC J4H 1J3
Midi	Restaurant Mag	gia, 295 Rue Saint-Charles O, Longueuil, QC J4H 1E5,	ou
	Restaurant Silva	a Grillades, 177 Rue Saint-Charles O, Longueuil, QC J	4H 1C8
	• Coût:	CAD 35 (Taxes et service inclus)	
13 h 30	Marie-Rose Cer	nter, 80 Saint-Charles Street East, Longueuil, QC J4H	1H9
15 h 30	Église La Nativit	té de la Sainte-Vierge, 145 chemin Saint-Jean, La Pra	irie, QC J5R 2J9

Outre la diversité des styles architecturaux de ce mini circuit, c'est une invitation à découvrir des personnages, des éléments d'histoire méconnus et des objets patrimoniaux dont certains remontent aux origines de la paroisse de Longueuil en 1697 et même davantage! La visite comprend le site patrimonial des Sœurs des Saints Noms de Jésus et de Marie (musée, maison de fondation...) et la cocathédrale Saint-Antoine-de-Padoue, son musée et la chapelle Marie-Rose. Puis à La Prairie, on se retrouve dans la plus importante église rurale du diocèse de Montréal, située à proximité du Musée archéologique du Roussillon qui ne manque pas d'éléments inédits.



Vue intérieure de la cocathédrale Interior view of the co-cathedral



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Ciboire datant de 1684-1687 en argent Ciborium dating from 1684-1687 in silver

10 a.m. Co-Cathedral of Saint-Antoine de Padoue, 55 Rue Ste Élizabeth, Longueuil, QC J4H 1J3

Noon Restaurant Magia, 295 Rue Saint-Charles O, Longueuil, QC J4H 1E5, or

Restaurant Silva Grillades, 177 Rue Saint-Charles O, Longueuil, QC J4H 1C8





• Cost: CAD 35 (Taxes and service included)

1:30 p.m. Marie-Rose Center, 80 Saint-Charles Street East, Longueuil, QC J4H 1H9

3:30 p.m. La Nativité de la Sainte-Vierge Sanctuary, 145 chemin Saint-Jean, La Prairie, QC J5R 2J9

In addition to the diversity of architectural styles on this mini-tour, it's an invitation to discover characters, little-known historical elements and heritage objects, some of which date back to the origins of the Longueuil parish in 1697 and beyond! The tour includes the heritage site of the Sœurs des Saints Noms de Jésus et de Marie (museum, foundation house...) and the co-cathedral of Saint-Antoine-de-Padoue, its museum and the Marie-Rose chapel. You'll find the most significant rural church in the Montreal diocese in La Prairie, close to the Musée archéologique du Roussillon, with its many original features.

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CIRCUIT 3 CHÂTEAUGUAY - KAHNAWAKE ROUTE 3

10 h Manoir d'Youville, 498 Bd D'Youville, Châteauguay, QC J6J 5T9

Midi Bistro La Traite, 498 Bd D'Youville, Châteauguay, QC J6J 5T9

Coût: CAD 35 (Taxes et service inclus)

14 h Sanctuaire Sainte-Kateri Tekakwitha, 1 River Road, Kahnawake, QC JOL 1B0

Ce mini circuit est axé sur la découverte en offrant d'abord un environnement naturel spectaculaire. Découverte également par cette plongée dans des pans d'histoire peu connus comme celle de la mission jésuite construite en 1720 où l'on retrouve une quantité d'objets autochtones et le tombeau de sainte Kateri Tekakwitha, jeune Amérindienne canonisée en 2012. Cet arrêt comprend l'église et le centre d'interprétation. Le parcours se rend jusqu'à l'île Saint-Bernard, lieu d'une seigneurie achetée par Marguerite d'Youville pour nourrir entre autres les malades et les pauvres. On y trouve un musée et l'un des plus vieux moulins au Québec.



Manoir d'Youville



Sanctuaire Sainte Kateri Saint Kateri Shrine

10 a.m. Manoir d'Youville, 498 Bd D'Youville, Châteauguay, QC J6J 5T9

Noon Bistro La Traite, 498 Bd D'Youville, Châteauguay, QC J6J 5T9

Cost: CAD 35 (Taxes and service included)

2 p.m. Saint-Kateri Tekakwitha shrine, 1 River Road, Kahnawake, QC JOL 1B03:30 p.m.

This mini-tour is all about discovery, starting with a spectacular natural environment. It also delves into little-known parts of history, such as the Jesuit mission built in 1720, where you'll find a wealth of native artifacts and the tomb





of Saint Kateri Tekakwitha, a young Amerindian woman canonized in 2012. This stop includes the church and interpretation center. The route continues to Île Saint-Bernard, the site of a seigneury purchased by Marguerite d'Youville to feed the sick and poor. Here, you'll find a museum and one of the oldest mills in Quebec.

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CIRCUIT 4 (2 JOURS)

Varennes – Boucherville - Longueuil

ROUTE 4 (2 DAYS)

Jour 1 – Varennes-Boucherville-Longueuil

9 h 30	Sanctuaire Sainte-Marguerite d'Youville, 201 Rue Sainte-Anne, Varennes, QC J3X 1R6				
11 h 30	Le Saint-Laurent Café Bistro, 578 rue Saint-Charles, Boucherville, QC J4B 3N4				
	• Coût: CAD 35 (Taxes et service inclus)				
13 h	Église Sainte-Famille, 560 boulevard Marie-Victorin, Boucherville, QC J4B 1X1				
15 h	Centre Marie-Rose, 80 rue Saint-Charles Est, Longueuil, QC J4H 1H9				
16 h 30	Cocathédrale Saint-Antoine-de-Padoue, 55 Rue Ste Élizabeth, Longueuil, QC J4H 1J3				
18 h	Nuitée – Holiday Montréal Longueuil, 900 Rue Saint-Charles E, Longueuil, QC J4H 3Y2				
	Coût: CAD Tarif à venir.				



Sanctuaire Sainte-Marguerite d'Youville shrine



Église Sainte-Famille Church



Centre Marie-Rose



Cocathédrale Saint-Antoine-de-Padoue Co-cathedral

Jour 2 – Longueuil-Châteauguay-Kahnawake-La Praire

9 h30	Église de la Nativité à la Sainte-Vierge, 145 chemin Saint-Jean, La Prairie, QC J5R 2J9			
11 h30	Sanctuaire Sainte Kateri, 1 River Road, Kahnawake, QC JOL 1B0			
13 h 15	Bistro la Traite498 Bd D'Youville, Châteauguay, QC J6J 5T9			
	• Coût: CAD 35 (Taxes and service inclus)			
14 h 30	Manoir d'Youville, 498 Bd D'Youville, Châteauguay, QC J6J 5T9			
16 h 30	Retour ou nuitée au Manoir d'Youville			

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L'offre d'un circuit de deux jours des Sanctuaires du fleuve veut donner la chance aux visiteurs de vivre une expérience d'immersion qui allie les plaisirs de la découverte de nos richesses patrimoniales et historiques aux principes d'un pèlerinage où le temps et la tranquillité des lieux vous transportent dans une autre dimension. Plongez dans les traditions d'une autre époque, suivez le parcours de personnages fascinants et revisitez l'Histoire autrement.



Église de la Nativité à la Sainte-Vierge Church



Sanctuaire Sainte Kateri Shrine



Manoir d'Youville

Day 1 - Varennes-Boucherville-Longueuil

9 h 30 Saint-Marguerite d'Youville shrine, 201 Rue Sainte-Anne, Varennes, QC J3X 1R6

11 h 30 Le Saint-Laurent Café Bistro, 578 rue Saint-Charles, Boucherville, QC J4B 3N4

Cost: CAD 35 (Taxes and service included)

1 p.m. Sainte-Famille church, 560 boulevard Marie-Victorin, Boucherville, QC J4B 1X1

3 p.m. Centre Marie-Rose, 80 rue Saint-Charles Est, Longueuil, QC J4H 1H9

4:30 p.m. Co-cathedrale Saint-Antoine-de-Padoue, 55 Rue Ste Élizabeth, Longueuil, QC J4H 1J3

6 p.m. Night – Holiday Montréal Longueuil, 900 Rue Saint-Charles E, Longueuil, QC J4H 3Y2

• Tariff: CAD To come.

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Day 2 – Longueuil-Châteauguay-Kahnawake-La Praire

9 h30 La Nativité à la Sainte-Vierge church, 145 chemin Saint-Jean, La Prairie, QC J5R 2J9

11 h30 Saint Kateri shrine, 1 River Road, Kahnawake, QC JOL 1B0

1:15 p.m. Bistro la Traite, 498 Bd D'Youville, Châteauguay, QC J6J 5T9

Cost: CAD 35 (Taxes and service included)

2:30 p.m. Manoir d'Youville, 498 Bd D'Youville, Châteauguay, QC J6J 5T9

4:30 p.m. Back home or night at Manoir d'Youville

• Tariffs: CAD 92 (sharing bathroom), before taxes

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The Sanctuaries du Fleuve's two-day tour offers visitors the chance to enjoy an immersive experience that combines the pleasures of discovering our rich heritage and history with the principles of a pilgrimage where time and tranquillity transport you to another dimension. Immerse yourself in the traditions of another era, follow the path of fascinating characters and revisit history differently.

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CIRCUIT 5 (2 JOURS)

La Prairie-Kahnawake-Châteauguay – Longueuil -Boucherville - Varennes

ROUTE 5 (2 DAYS)

Jour 1 – La Prairie – Kahnawake-Châteauguay

9 h 30	Église de la Nativité à la Sainte-Vierge, 145 chemin Saint-Jean, La Prairie, QC J5R 2J9				
11 h 30	Sanctuaire Sainte Kateri, 1 River Road, Kahnawake, QC JOL 1B0				
13 h 15	Bistro la Traite498 Bd D'Youville, Châteauguay, QC J6J 5T9				
	• Coût: CAD 35 (Taxes et service inclus)				
14 h 30	Manoir d'Youville, 498 Bd D'Youville, Châteauguay, QC J6J 5T9				
16 h	Nuitée – Manoir d'Youville, 498 Bd D'Youville, Châteauguay, QC J6J 5T9				

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Ciboire datant de 1684-1687 en argent Ciborium dating from 1684-1687 in silver



Sanctuaire Saint-Kateri Tekawitha shrine



Manoir d'Youville

Jour 2 – Longueuil – Boucherville - Varennes

10 h Cocathédrale Saint-Antoine-de-Padoue, 55 Rue Ste Élizabeth, Longueuil, QC J4H 1J3

11 h 15 Centre Marie-Rose, 80 rue Saint-Charles Est, Longueuil, QC J4H 1H9

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12 h 30 Restaurant Magia, 295 Rue Saint-Charles O, Longueuil, QC J4H 1E5, or

Restaurant Silva Grillades, 177 Rue Saint-Charles O, Longueuil, QC J4H 1C8

• Coût: CAD 35 (Taxes et service inclus)

14 h Église Sainte-Famille, 560 boulevard Marie-Victorin, Boucherville, QC J4B 1X1Sanctuaire Sainte-

15 h 30 Marguerite d'Youville, 201 Rue Sainte-Anne, Varennes, QC J3X 1R6

17 h Retour ou nuitée – Holiday Montréal Longueuil, 900 Rue Saint-Charles E, Longueuil, QC J4H 3Y2

Coût: CAD Tarif à venir.

Que l'on explore le circuit de deux jours à partir d'une ville ou d'une autre, l'expérience d'immersion est toute aussi stimulante. Après avoir été conquis d'un premier coup d'œil par la beauté des styles architecturaux, remontez le temps pour vous imprégner de ces perles historiques qui apportent un éclairage nouveau sur l'Histoire. À travers les particularités patrimoniales des lieux de culte, la beauté des œuvres d'art et le caractère inédit de nombreux artefacts, c'est une invitation à la découverte par tous vos sens que vous proposent les Sanctuaires du fleuve.



Cocathédrale Saint-Antoine-de Padoue co-cathedral



Centre Marie-Rose



Église Sainte-Famille church



Sanctuaire Marguerite d'Youville shrine

Day 1 – La Prairie – Kahnawake-Châteauguay

10 h La Nativité à la Sainte-Vierge church, 145 chemin Saint-Jean, La Prairie, QC J5R 2J9

11 h 30 Saint Kateri shrine, 1 River Road, Kahnawake, QC JOL 1B0

1:15 p.m. Bistro la Traite, 498 Bd D'Youville, Châteauguay, QC J6J 5T9

• Cost: CAD 40 (Taxes and service included)

2:30 p.m. Manoir d'Youville, 498 Bd D'Youville, Châteauguay, QC J6J 5T9





4 p.m. Night at Manoir d'Youville, 498 Bd D'Youville, Châteauguay, QC J6J 5T9

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Day 2 - Longueuil - Boucherville - Varennes

Tariff:

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11 h 15	Centre Marie-Rose, 80 rue Saint-Charles Est, Longueuil, QC J4H 1H9				
12 h 30	Restaurant Magia, 295 Rue Saint-Charles O, Longueuil, QC J4H 1E5, or				
	Restaurant Silva Grillades, 177 Rue Saint-Charles O, Longueuil, QC J4H 1C8				
	• Cost: CAD 40 (Taxes and service included)				
2 p.m.	Sainte-Famille church, 560 boulevard Marie-Victorin, Boucherville, QC J4B 1X1Sanctuaire Sainte-				
3:30 p.m.	Marguerite d'Youville shrine, 201 Rue Sainte-Anne, Varennes, QC J3X 1R6				
5 p.m.	Home or night – Holiday Montréal Longueuil, 900 Rue Saint-Charles E, Longueuil, QC J4H 3Y2				

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CIRCUIT 6

LIEUX DU PATRIMOINE RELIGIEUX RELIGIOUS HERITAGE SITES

ROUTE 6

Le circuit des lieux du patrimoine religieux de la Montérégie est une invitation à la découverte de larges pans souvent méconnus de notre histoire et de notre culture. Constitué principalement de joyaux architecturaux, ce circuit regorge de trésors du passé sous plusieurs formes : artefacts, objets de culte, documents d'archives, bâtiments historiques... Le circuit se divise en trois parcours d'une journée.

Pour en savoir plus, visitez la page -

https://www.tourisme-monteregie.qc.ca/parcours/le-circuit-des-lieux-du-patrimoine-religieux-de-la-monteregie/?season=winter













The circuit of places of religious and spiritual tourism is an invitation to discover large parts of our history and culture that are often unknown. Consisting mainly of architectural gems, this circuit is full of treasures from the past in several forms: artifacts, objects of worship, archival documents, historic buildings... The circuit is divided into three one-day routes.

To find out more, visit -

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CIRCUIT 7

PERSONNAGES RELIGIEUX RELIGIOUS FIGURES

ROUTE 7

De sainte Marguerite d'Youville à la bienheureuse Marie Rose Durocher, du bienheureux Louis-Zéphirin Moreau, aux vénérables Élisabeth Bergeron et Catherine-Aurélie Caouette, du saint-frère-André à la bienheureuse Marie-Léonie Paradis, le circuit de 2 jours / 1 nuit permettra de faire découvrir aux visiteurs deux hommes et cinq femmes de la région, qui chacun à sa façon, ont façonné la vie de l'Église au Canada par la sainteté de leur vie.

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From Saint Marguerite d'Youville to, from Blessed Louis-Zéphirin Moreau to Venerable Élisabeth Bergeron and Catherine-Aurélie Caouette, from Saint-Brother-André to Blessed Marie-Léonie Paradis, the 2-day /1 night will allow visitors to discover two men and five women from the region, who each in their way shaped the life of the Church in Canada by the holiness of their lives.

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ERMITAGE SAINT-ANTOINE DE LAC-BOUCHETTE



COMPANY DESCRIPTION

UNPARALLELED HOSPITALITY IN A CHARMING SETTING! LOCATED JUST A FEW MINUTES FROM THE MAJESTIC LAC SAINT-JEAN, on a wooded property on the edge of lac Ouiatchouan, the Ermitage Saint-Antoine is a choice destination for hosting groups. This oasis stands out for its warm welcome and the natural beauty that surrounds it. The travelers will enjoy the renovated hotel rooms and the restaurant with lake wiew. We offer regional menus and guest tables as well as fresh products from our artisan bakery. Many activities are offered at the site: ORIGINE immersive multimedia show, museum, hiking trails, guided tour of our historic buildings and more.

THE ERMITAGE SAINT-ANTOINE, A MUST-SEE TO DISCOVER...ONCE MORE!

NEW: ALL OUR HOTEL ROOMS ARE RENOVATED













ORIGINE

Origin introduces the audience to an innovative visual and narrative experience. Presented as a tale, the show appeals to the viewer's senses and emotions through images and music. Come discover this multisensory production and gradually experience new sensations.

Origin, a spectacular immersive experience produced entirely in Quebec, unique in North America.













Centre Elzéar Delamarre

New exposition!

In addition to our 2 permanent expositions figuring the strongman Victor Delamarre as well as the tale of the Ermitage and its founder, a new exposition has been created!

Come discover never seen before artifacts dating from the missionary era of the Capuchin Order in this brand new floor, completed by an original presentation of the paintings created by the Capuchin artist Guy Bruneau.

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Services	FREE	YES	NO	\$\$
Wi-Fi	Х	х		
Computer with Internet access	Х	х		
Bus Parking	Х	Х		
Luggage services		Х		Х
Shuttle service (as scheduled)	Х	Х		
Air conditioning		Х		
Charging station	Х	Х		
Common room and reading room	Х	х		
Accessible for reduced mobility		х		
Activities at the evening	Χ	Х		Х
Elevator			Х	







Activities - Accomodations- Food services

Food services							
	BREAKFAST	LUNCH	DINNER	DINNER HOST TABLE			
Meals available	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes			
Price range: 12 \$ or less * 15 \$ to 25 \$ ** 25 \$ to 55 \$ ***	*	**	**	***			
Reservations for groups and buses	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes			
Number of places available	200	200	200	200			

Accomodations / Total units : 72						
CAPACITY	1 QUEEN BED 1 DOUBLE BED		2 DOUBLES BEDS 3 SIMPLES BEDS		1 QUEEN BED	1 DOUBLE BED
Standard room		26			11	
Superior room	11					
Family chalet			1	2		
Ermitage chalet						3



Campground

3 SERVICES 16 SITES 2 SERVICES 13 SITES SANS SERVICE 11 TERRAINS





Activities						
DESCRIPTION	DURATION	DETAILS / RESTRICTIONS	SPOTS Available			
Multimedia show	30 min	Every day as scheduled Also available by reservation	50			
Museum	1 h	Every day from June to September	Unlimited			
Fauna and flora in forest	1 h 30	By reservation only	55			
Walking trail	1 km to 7 km	At any time	Unlimited			
Observation tower	30 min	Everyday as scheduled	Unlimited			
Activities at the evening	1 h 30	June to August as scheduled	200			
Kayak / Pedalo rental	2 h / 4 h / 8 h	June to August as scheduled	6			
Paddle board rental	2 h / 4 h / 8 h	July and August as scheduled	2			
Guided tour	1 h to 1 h 30	By reservation only	Unlimited			
Independant visit	1 h to 1 h 30	Digital application or map	Unlimited			









PRESS RELEASE FOR IMMEDIATE DISTRIBUTION

Nincheri. From the Secular to the Sacred.

New Tour of Château Dufresne New Temporary Exhibition

From August 2, 2023 to June 30, 2024

Montreal, August 2, 2023 – To celebrate the 50th Anniversary of master-glassmaker, painter-decorator, and fresco painter Guido Nincheri's passing (1885-1973), Château Dufresne, a museum and heritage site, proudly celebrates this artist of national significance.

Nincheri. From the Secular to the Sacred offers a new tour of the Château, from room to room, to witness the remarkable work done by Guido Nincheri, at the request of the Dufresne brothers. Château Dufresne hosts the largest heritage of Nincheri's secular artwork. Frescoes and stained-glass windows created by this Florentine artist are the major attractions of this ancient mansion, now a museum.

It took more than 18 years, roughly from the early 1920s to 1940, to complete the Château's decorative setting. To bring to light this unique work, the Museum drew upon its reserve collection. It proposes sketches done by the artist for the Château's decorative projects. These are to this day the only ones known and preserved. This new digital tour, accessible by QR Codes, puts Nincheri's work into *in situ* context, and helps us better understand his work, which was nearly lost on a few occasions.

As to Guido Nincheri's sacred artwork, it is still very present in many important sites of Quebec's religious heritage, and elsewhere. It is reflected in our new *Sacred Nincheri* temporary exhibition, which brings together some 40 selected original works, drawings, watercolours, studies, overlays, and sketches, as well as exclusive archival documents and artefacts from Studio Nincheri. These are some of the many ways to recognize the exceptional and at times overlooked contribution of the artist to religious art. An amazing artist based on his distinctive artistic approach and his exceptional talent.

When it comes to religious art, Nincheri is one of the most influential and most prolific Canadian artists of his time. *The Nincheri Studio Adventure*, a video produced by Simbioz for the exhibition, recounts the career of the artist-decorator-entrepreneur, spread over nearly six decades. Principal artisan behind the development of stained-glass in Quebec, he also introduced fresco technique in North-America. As a designer and master craftsman, he decorated countless churches throughout Quebec, Canada and New-England states.

About the Exhibition

Château Dufresne will announce its educational and cultural activity programming all year long. These activities will be carried out in collaboration with various partners. To learn more, please consult our Facebook page.

This exhibition was made possible through funding from the Fonds du patrimoine culturel québécois, under the Call for and Assistance Program of the ministère de la Culture et des Communications du Québec, for support of commemoration initiatives, Canadian Heritage, and the David M. Stewart Foundation. Château Dufresne wishes to thank these entities for their precious collaboration: the Nincheri family, the Québec Religious Heritage Council, Bibliothèque et Archives Nationales du Québec, the Historical Society of the North Shore, the Église Sainte-Amélie Corporation of Baie-Comeau, Encadrex, the Montreal Museum of Fine Arts, and the Sisters of the Holy Cross Museum.

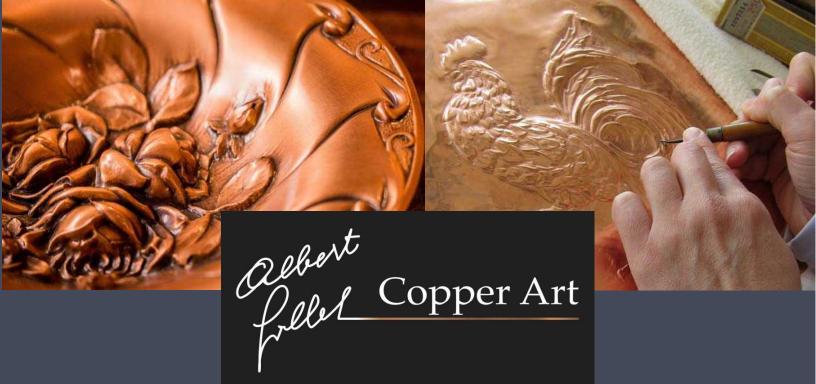
About Château Dufresne, a Museum and Historical Heritage Site

Château Dufresne is a magnificent twinned residence, of Beaux-Arts style, inhabited, during the first half of the last century by a prominent French middle-class family. It once hosted the very first Québec National Contemporary Art Museum, before becoming a museum and heritage institution of its own.

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Our Art Studio & Museum



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Discover the mysterious atmosphere of a copper mine. See the copper bearing rocks and then admire the fine artefacts we have collected around the world.

The Christorama



The Life of Christ

Told in 50 hand wrought silver panels, done over a period of 15 years by the master craftsman Albert Gilles.





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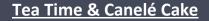
2025

Group rate:

\$10.95 per person (tax included)

FIT rate:

\$16.50 per person (tax included)



Tea, coffee or hot chocolate (on request), served with a little «canelé» cake (baked in a copper mould), to savor surrounded by our craft!

2024

Group rate:

\$15.50 per person (tax included)

(For groups only)

2025

Group rate:

\$16.50 per person (tax included)

(For groups only)



Our activities will enhance your groups experience during their visit. We await the pleasure of sharing our passion with them!

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Admission & guided tour are FREE

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EXHIBIT 2024 AT THE SAINT MARGUERITE D'YOUVILLE SANCTUARY



Starting in June 2024, a new temporary exhibit entitled "The Daughters of Marguerite Pioneers in the West" will be presented at the Saint Marguerite d'Youville Sanctuary in Varennes.

In 1844, four Grey Nuns from Montreal left for the Red River in Manitoba, now Winnipeg, to help the small colony of 6,000 inhabitants. The Sisters of Charity (Grey Nuns), a community founded by Marguerite d'Youville, had responded affirmatively to a request from Bishop Provencher of Manitoba, who had come to Montreal to ask for Nuns to be sent to the West. The idea of sending a contingent to the territory explored by their Foundress' uncle and brother appealed to the Sisters.

The exhibit recounts the adventures and events that marked this period. The Sisters trained women in household chores, taught children, and cared for the poor and sick.

Beautiful illustrations from the period bring life to the exhibit. It will be on display for two years.



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