



CENOTAPH OF BLESSED KATERI

In 1680, the Mission of St. Francis Xavier, where Kateri died, was located at what is today St. Catherine de Laprairie. To celebrate the tercentenary of her entrance into heaven, the parishioners restored her monument. Celebrations lasted from May 29 to June 1. On Saturday evening, May 31, at the Mass offered by Fr. Philippe Burton, O. Praem., Pastor, the Vice-Postulator gave the homily. The next day Bishop Bernard Hubert of the Diocese of Saint-Jean-de-Québec presided at the Eucharistic Celebration and at the dedication of the Kateri Grotto, which he solemnly blessed.

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