

## Art treasures in *Blessed Kateri's Shrine*



The main altar of the Shrine: 18th and 19th century Quebec artists P. Labrosse or G. Boivin, Louis Quévillon and Vincent Chartrand shaped and restored it.

Photo: R.-M. Tremblay, National Art Gallery, Ottawa (1993)



4th station of the cross: Jesus meets with His mother, Mary. By Carli-Petrucci, 1926.

Photo: Anne Scheuerman (1995)



Jesus giving Peter the keys to the kingdom. Ceiling fresco by Guido Nincheri (1924-28).

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The oldest known painting of Blessed Kateri, by F. Claude Chauchetière, S.J. presumably in the late 1680's.

Photo: Bob Peters (1994)



Photo: Madeleine Huet

Fr. Henri Béchard, S.J. (1909-1990), fondly remembered as Canadian vice-postulator of Kateri's cause for over 40 years. His first book was a chronicle of the first century of our Mission church: "J'ai cent ans" ("I'm 100 years old") published in 1946. He has faithfully chronicled the events of the last 50 years in this *Kateri* magazine he founded and then edited the rest of his life (1st issue, Dec. 1948).