

## RELIGIOUS HERITAGE DAYS IN ESTRIE!

**215 heritage sites and circuits to discover on September 8, 9, and 10 2023**

**Montréal, August 28 2023** — The Québec Religious Heritage Council (CPRQ) is thrilled to announce that the activities for this year's Religious Heritage Days are now available for consultation on the event's website, [journeesdupatrimoinereligieux.ca](http://journeesdupatrimoinereligieux.ca). With 215 sites and circuits to discover, from Gatineau to the Îles-de-la-Madeleine passing through Rouyn-Noranda in Abitibi-Témiscamingue, there's surely something on offer to pique your curiosity!

Just like every year, participation in the event is on a voluntary basis, according to the capacity of the site to welcome visitors. Activities—tours, concerts, conferences, exhibitions and guided circuits—are offered free of charge, but participants can demonstrate their appreciation by leaving a donation onsite to support initiatives to preserve the sites and keep them open.

In parallel with these numerous activities, part of the Quebec Religious Heritage Council's team, joined by a delegation from Louisiana made up of the founders of the Nous Foundation and the director of the *West Baton Rouge Museum* will be participating in several activities of the Religious Heritage Days in the scope of a biliteral cooperation grant between Québec and Louisiana through the Ministry of International Relations and the French Language

### Plan out your Days in Estrie!

Adding filters to the activities online allows users to consult different pages by the type of activity, the region, the date, etc. Don't forget to plan out your itinerary!

In total, 23 sites and circuits in the region have registered activities in the region: the Mgr-Antoine-Racine Archival Centre, the Church of de Saint-Adolphe de Dudswell, the Church of the Epiphany, All Saints Church, the Canterbury Centre, the Church of Sainte-Anne-de-la-Rochelle, the Church of Saint-Romuald, the Church of Saint-Louis-de-France d'East Angus, the Church of Saint-Jean-Baptiste, Plymouth-Trinity United Church, Grace Church, Bishop Stewart Memorial Church of Freightsburg, the Church of Saint-Pierre de La Patrie, Church of Saint-Theophile, Grace United Church of Brookbury, Trinity United Church, the Church of St George, Eaton Corner Museum, St-Peter's Church of Cookshire, Chalmers United Church, the Church of Saint-Adrien and the religious heritage circuit of Haut-Saint-François. This year, we'd like to highlight the participation of carpenter Paul Lessard and architect Rémi L. Petit. Concerts, tours, onsite sessions with artists and painters; discover the sites that await you and the stories they have to tell.

For more information about these activities, you can consult their pages on our website with links listed below:

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| <b>Abercorn</b>       | 1. <a href="#">Église All Saints</a>                                  |
| <b>Barnston-Ouest</b> | 2. <a href="#">Église Church of the Epiphany</a>                      |
| <b>Bury</b>           | 3. <a href="#">Centre Canterbury Center (Christchurch Canterbury)</a> |
|                       | 4. <a href="#">Centre culturel Uni de Bury</a>                        |

	5. <a href="#">Église Grace United</a>
<b>Cookshire-Eaton</b>	6. <a href="#">Église Trinity United</a>
	7. <a href="#">Musée Eaton Corner</a>
	8. <a href="#">Église St-Peter's</a>
	9. <a href="#">Circuit du patrimoine religieux du Haut-Saint-François</a>
<b>Dudswell</b>	10. <a href="#">Église de Saint-Adolphe de Dudswell</a>
<b>East Angus</b>	11. <a href="#">Église Saint-Louis-de-France</a>
<b>Farnham</b>	12. <a href="#">Église Saint-Romuald</a>
<b>Freleighsburg</b>	13. <a href="#">Église Bishop Stewart Memorial de Freleighsburg</a>
<b>Granby</b>	14. <a href="#">Église St George</a>
<b>La Patrie</b>	15. <a href="#">Église Saint-Pierre</a>
<b>Lingwick</b>	16. <a href="#">Église Chalmers United</a>
<b>Racine</b>	17. <a href="#">Église Saint-Théophile</a>
<b>Saint-Adrien</b>	18. <a href="#">Église Saint-Adrien / Le BEAM</a>
<b>Sainte-Anne-de-</b>	19. <a href="#">Église Sainte-Anne-de-la-Rochelle</a>
<b>Sherbrooke</b>	20. <a href="#">Centre d'archives Mgr-Antoine-Racine</a>
	21. <a href="#">Église Saint-Jean-Baptiste de Sherbrooke</a>
	22. <a href="#">Église Unie Plymouth-Trinity United Church</a>
<b>Sutton</b>	23. <a href="#">Église Grace Church</a>

**It's time to get active on social media and in the news!**

Don't forget to share your favorite moments with the hashtags #journeesdupatrimoinereligieux, #jdpr and #cprq on [Facebook](#), [YouTube](#), [Instagram](#) and [LinkedIn](#)!

The Religious Heritage Days are an annual event coordinated by the Québec Religious Heritage Council, a non-profit organization operating across Québec whose mission is to support the conservation and promotion of Québec's religious heritage.

[\*\*Watch our 2023 promotional video!\*\*](#)

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**Invitation to the media:**

- Regional press releases have been prepared to allow you to learn more about the activities on offer in each region. This press release is also available in French. [Click here to view them](#)
- Please don't hesitate to contact us for an interview. Privileged access can be granted to participating sites.



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**PRESS RELEASE**  
***For immediate release***

- The Québec Religious Heritage Council (CPRQ) possesses an image bank that can be made available to media upon request.

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