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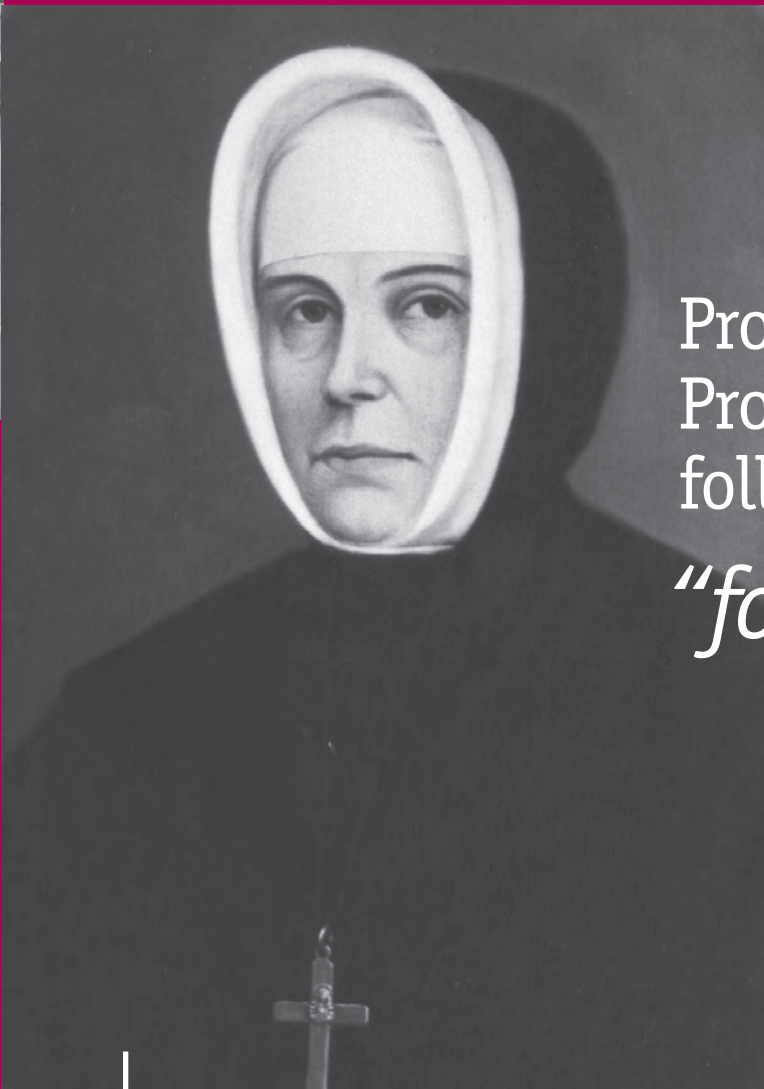
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Nearly 50, including board members and administrators from Providence Health System and Providence Services, and their spouses, joined the Leadership Team of Mother Joseph Province for a pilgrimage to Montreal in October. They are all probably still talking about what they saw, including:

- a) the house where Emilie Gamelin grew up;
- b) the breath-taking beauty of the chapel at the former Mother House, on Fullum street;
- c) the spot where Emilie Gamelin attended school;
- d) Notre Dame Basilica, where Mother Gamelin prayed;
- e) Berri-UQAM subway station and its statue of the foundress near Place Emilie Gamelin, site of the former Asile of Providence;
- f) Marie-Claude Beland, archivist, one of the tour guides;
- g) a replica of Mother Gamelin's original burial place;
- h) the tomb that contains Mother Gamelin's remains today;
- i, j) documents, photos, maps and art of the history of the Sisters of Providence in the Emilie and Providence museums were displayed and explained;
- k) Nancy Prada explains Mother Gamelin's affinity to the Mother of Sorrows;
- l) the painting on the ceiling of Notre Dame de Bon Secours (Good Help) Chapel, showing people sick with typhus being helped by sisters, including a Sister of Providence. ●



Providence Health System and Providence Services personnel follow

“footsteps of Mother Gamelin”

This 12 foot by 15 foot banner of Mother Gamelin, hanging in the Mother House, was hung outside the Vatican at her beatification in 2001.

