

ST. BERNARD MISSION CHURCH RESTORATION COMMITTEE

Grouard, Alberta

August 1, 2011

The St. Bernard Mission Church Restoration Committee has initiated a major project involving the restoration of the church in Grouard. This church is the most significant historical site in the Archdiocese of Grouard-McLennan. It was completed in 1902 under the direction of Bishop Emile Grouard, the first Bishop of the Archdiocese.

Over the years, this building has experienced many facelifts. However, numerous other repairs are required in order to preserve its original appearance and structural integrity. Subsequent to inspection of the building by an engineering firm, we were provided with a detailed report and construction estimates.

The first phase of the proposed restoration project "Repair of the Envelope" includes the repairing of the roof, ventilation and insulation of the attic, repairs to the windows and doors, and the replacement of the siding. **The total estimated cost of this phase is \$150,000.00.**

SPONSORSHIP PROGRAM

The Committee hereby solicits your help with the financial support of this important restoration project. Your participation in our sponsorship program will be officially recognized through the following mediums:

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