s'arrêtait pas aux œuvres d'éducation et du ministère paroissial, elle s'étendait plus loin et embrassa tous les genres d'apostolat. Il suffira de mentionner, dans cet ordre d'idées, l'inauguration à Saint-Patrice de ces missions si fructueuses prêchées aux protestants par les RR. PP. Paulistes de New York.

Mgr l'archevêque s'est plu lui-même à relever tous ces traits de zèle et de piété, dans une lettre de sympathie adressée aux prêtres et aux fidèles de Saint-Patrice. Nous terminons en reproduisant ce document dans son texte original.

Dearly Beloved Brethren,

The tidings of the rather unexpected death of your devoted Pastor, the late Father John Quinlivan, have cast a gloom of sadness over dear old St. Patrick's and filled your hearts with grief and sorrow in which I share sincerely. I condole with you all both priests and people and hasten to offer you the expression of my heartfelt sympathy in the loss which you have just sustained. About a month ago, Father Quinlivan called at the Palace to bid me au revoir as he intended leaving in a few days for France in quest of rest and health. He was very ill at the time, but little did I then think that he was bidding me farewell at least as far as this world is concerned, and that after the lapse of a few short weeks the cable would transmit such deadful news. The Angel of Death awaited him at the Mother-House of the Reverend Sulpitian Fathers at Paris. The best medical and science available, the prayers of his friends at home and abroad were ineffectual to stay the Angel's hand, and Almighty God was pleased to summon the good priest to his reward. He is now resting calmly after a long life spent in the Master's vineyard. May his soul rest in peace.

Pious, prudent, unostentatious was the late Father Quinlivan. During his classical studies and later on as a candidate for the holy priesthood at the Grand Seminary, of Montreal, Father Quinlivan displayed sterling qualities of mind and heart which bore such abundant fruit throughout his sacerdotal career. His success as a member of the Board of Catholic School Commissioners, his efforts to embellish