Diocese of Tucson  
ARIZONA, FLORENCE

**Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Church**  
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**Access:** Some restrictions apply

**History:** Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Church is a non-Indian parish that had a few Pima Indian parishioners before 1940. Diocesan priests from Assumption attended the following Indian missions and stations:

- 1873-1890s: Gila River (Pima) and Salt River Reservation stations (Pima)
- 1882-1883 (transferred to Immaculate Heart, Phoenix): Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church (Pima and Yaqui), Tempe
- 1902-1910 (transferred to St. John’s, Laveen): St. Anthony Mission (Pima), Sacaton, Gila River Reservation

**Holdings of Catholic-related records about Native Americans:**

**Inclusive dates:** 1870-1941

**Volume:** Few entries among several volumes

**Description:** Sacramental records for American Indian parishioners of Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Church and its attended Indian missions and stations.