Guide to Catholic-Related Records in the West about Native Americans

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NEW MEXICO, ISLETA

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Access: Some restrictions apply

History:

1613-1680, 1710-1848
Franciscans (Santo Evangelico Province, Mexico City, Mexico) established and administered St. Augustine Church/ San Agustín de la Isleta Mission (Tiwa), Islata Pueblo, which was disrupted by the 1680 Pueblo Revolt

Diocesan priests administered St. Augustine’s

1887-1897, 1933-1936
A school was operated at the parish

1968-present
Canossian Daughters of Charity (United States Province, Albuquerque, New Mexico) have staffed St. Augustine’s religious education program

1970-1980
Diocesan priests attended St. Augustine’s from Ascension, Santa Fe

1998
Premonstratensians (St. Norbert’s Abbey, De Pere, Wisconsin) administered St. Augustine’s

1998-present
Franciscans (Our Lady of Guadalupe Province, Albuquerque, New Mexico) have administered St. Augustine’s

Diocesan priests from St. Augustine’s attended the following Indian missions:

1841-1852 (transferred to San Francisco, Santa Fe); 1854-1856 (transferred to Nuestra Senora de los Dolores, Seboyeta)
Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe de Halona Mission (Zuni), Halona, Zuni Reservation

1854-1856 (transferred to Nuestra Senora de los Dolores, Seboyeta)
San José Mission (Laguna), Laguna Pueblo, Laguna Reservation

1854-1856 (transferred to Nuestra Senora de los Dolores, Seboyeta)
San Estevan del Rey Mission (Acoma), Acoma Pueblo, Acoma Reservation

1887-1888 (transferred to San Rafael, San Rafael)
Holdings of Catholic-related records about Native Americans:

Inclusive dates: 1844-present

Volume: Approximately 4 cubic feet

Description: The records at St. Augustine Church are not arranged according to a classification scheme. Consequently, description is by record type.

A. Sacramental Records
Inclusive dates: 1844-present
Volume: Several volumes
Description: Baptisms, first communions, confirmations, marriages, and deaths for St. Augustine Church and its attended Indian missions and stations; cemetery records also included.

B. History
Inclusive dates: 1978
Volume: 1 pamphlet
Description: *Isleta Pueblo and the Church of St. Augustine* by Joe L. Montoya.

C. Photographs and Albums
Inclusive dates: ca. 1900-present
Volume: Several volumes and folders
Description: Photographs and albums for St. Augustine Church and its attended Indian missions and stations.