Holy Name Church
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Access: Some restrictions apply

History: Holy Name Church is a non-Indian parish that included a number of Chickasaw Indian parishioners until ca. 1910s.

1898-1902 Benedictines (formerly Sacred Heart, now St. Gregory’s Abbey, Shawnee, Oklahoma) established and attended Holy Name Mission (Chickasaw) from St. Patrick’s, Anadarko

1899-1930s (few Indians) Sisters of St. Francis of Philadelphia established and staffed St. Joseph School (Chickasaw), Chickasha

1902-1910s (Indians declined) Became a parish; Diocesan priests administered Holy Name Church

Benedictines and diocesan priests from Holy Name attended the following Indian missions and stations:

1898-1909 (transferred to St. Joseph's, Union City) (no longer Indian) Holy Rosary Mission (Chickasaw), Minco

1898-1909 (became a mission) Marlow station (Chickasaw)

1902-1912 (transferred to Church of the Assumption, Duncan) (no longer Indian) Lindsay station (Chickasaw and Choctaw)

1905-1909 (transferred to Church of the Assumption, Duncan) (no longer Indian) Immaculate Conception Mission (Chickasaw), Marlow

1906-1912 (transferred to St. Joseph's, Union City) (no longer Indian) Tuttle station (Chickasaw and Choctaw)

Holdings of Catholic-related records about Native Americans:

Inclusive dates: 1898-ca. 1930s

Volume: Several volumes
Description: Sacramental records for Holy Name Church, its attended Indian missions and stations, and for students at St. Joseph's School; baptisms, 1899-ca. 1930s, marriages, 1900-ca. 1930s, deaths, 1898-ca. 1930s, and first communions and confirmations, 1902-ca. 1930s.