



Guide to Catholic-Related Records in the Midwest about Native Americans
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KANSAS, HOLTON

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St. Dominic Church

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Access: Some restrictions apply

St. Dominic Church is a non-Indian parish. However, diocesan priests from St. Dominic's, attended Our Lady of the Snows Mission (Potawatomi), Potawatomi Reservation, Holton.

History of Our Lady of the Snows Mission

1912-1917	Diocesan priests established and attended Our Lady of the Snows/ Resurrection Mission from Holy Cross, Emmett
1917-1918, 1942-1969	Diocesan priests attended Our Lady of the Snows from St. Dominic's, Holton
1918-1942	Diocesan priests attended Our Lady of the Snows from St. Francis Xavier, Mayetta
1942-1966	Jesuits attended Our Lady of the Snows from St. Mary's College, St. Marys, Kansas
1969 (closed)	Our Lady of the Snows Mission

Holdings of Catholic-related records about Native Americans:

Inclusive dates: 1918-1969

Volume: .5 cubic foot

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

- A. Correspondence, 1951-1966 (bulk 1955-1957), 98 letters; re: primarily financial matters; major correspondents include Reverend Leo Cooper, Bishop Edward J. Hunkeler and the Jesuits at St. Mary's College, St. Marys, Kansas
- B. Sacramental records, Our Lady of the Snows Mission, Potawatomi Reservation, 1918-1969, 4 volumes; baptisms, 1918-1969, marriages, 1919-1969, and confirmations, 1938-1963; St. Dominic Church has the sacramental records relating to Our Lady of the Snows from the former parish of St. Francis Xavier, Mayetta, Kansas, and the former Jesuit college at St. Marys, Kansas

- C. Census record of Our Lady of the Snows Mission, 1941, 1 folder; includes name, age, address, degree of Indian blood, and whether sacraments received
- D. History of Our Lady of the Snows Mission, enclosed with a letter of September 18, 1938, from Mr. W.G. Cummings to Reverend John J. Ryan, 7 handwritten pages
- E. "Cemeteries-Our Lady of the Snows, St. Joseph, and Mount Calvary," 1930s-1950s, 3 volumes; re: Indians in part; lists amounts paid for cemetery lots, when individuals died, and where they were buried