



Guide to Catholic-Related Records in the Midwest about Native Americans  
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Diocese of Marquette  
MICHIGAN, MACKINAC ISLAND

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**St. Ann Church**

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Access: Some restrictions apply

History: St. Ann Church is a non-Indian parish that had a significant number of Ojibwa Indian parishioners, 1780-ca. 1840s.

1671-unknown	Jesuits (Lyons Province, Lyons, France) established St. Ignace Mission (Ojibwa), Point St. Ignace
1780-1830	St. Ann Mission (Ojibwa) was established and attended by various priests
ca. 1825-1827	St. Ann Church moved to its present site
1830-unknown (closed)	Diocesan priests established and administered St. Ann School (Ojibwa)
1830-1861, 1868-1870, 1872-present	Became a parish; diocesan priests administered St. Ann Church
1861-1868, 1871-1872	Diocesan priests attended St. Ann's from St. Ignatius, St. Ignace

Diocesan priests from St. Ann's attended the following Ojibwa Indian missions:

1837-1857, 1872-1876, 1878-1880 (became a parish)	St. Ignatius Loyola Mission, St. Ignace
1889-1891 (became a parish)	Sacred Heart Mission, DeTour

Holdings of Catholic-related records about Native Americans:

Inclusive dates: 1695-ca. 1840s

Volume: Several entries among several volumes

Description: Sacramental records for St. Ignace Mission, St. Ann Church, and St. Ignatius Mission.