



**Guide to Catholic-Related Records in the West about Native Americans**  
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*Diocese of Juneau*  
ALASKA, JUNEAU

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***Cathedral of the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary***

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Access: Some restrictions apply

History: The Cathedral of Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary is a non-Indian parish that has had a number of Tlingit Indian parishioners.

1882	Diocesan priests (Diocese of Vancouver, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada) visited Juneau (Tlingit)
1885-1951	Jesuits (formerly Turin, Canadian, and California; now Oregon Province, Portland, Oregon) established and administered Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary Church
1951-present	Diocesan priests administered Cathedral of the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Jesuits from Nativity attended the following partially Tlingit Indian mission and station:

1890-1898, 1920-1930 (became a parish)	Sitka station
1896-1898 (transferred to Our Lady, Douglas)	St. Rose of Lima Mission, Wrangell/ Fort Wrangel

Holdings of Catholic-related records about Native Americans:

Inclusive dates: 1886-present

Volume: Few entries among several volumes

Description: Sacramental records for Cathedral of the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary and its attended Indian mission and station.