



Guide to Catholic-Related Records in the West about Native Americans
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Diocese of Honolulu
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History: The Diocese of Honolulu was erected for Hawaii in 1941. It succeeded the Prefecture-Apostolic for the Hawaiian/ Sandwich Islands, 1826-1844 and the Vicariate-Apostolate for the Hawaiian Islands, 1844-1941, both of which were under the leadership of the Congregation of the Sacred Hearts of Jesus and Mary. From ca. 1840s-present, a number of American Indian Catholics from resided in the Honolulu area (due to fishing industry and military employment). In 1999, it was estimated that 500 baptized Native American Catholics from various tribes resided within the Honolulu Diocese.

History of Holdings of Catholic-related records about Native Americans:

Inclusive dates: 1843-present

Volume: Few entries among several volumes

Description: Sacramental records for Our Lady of Peace Cathedral and other parishes.

For records at Pearl Harbor Naval Station (Honolulu, Hawaii), see Archdiocese for the Military Services, Washington, District of Columbia.