



Guide to Catholic-Related Records in the West about Native Americans

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NEW MEXICO, RAMAH (TINAJA)

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Access: Some restrictions apply

History:

1935-1976	Franciscans (St. John the Baptist Province, Cincinnati, Ohio) established and attended San Lorenzo Chapel (Navajo and Zuni) from St. Anthony's, Zuni
1976-present	Dominican Sisters (Adrian, Michigan) and Sisters of the Blessed Sacrament for Indians and Colored People (Bensalem, Pennsylvania) have served San Lorenzo with religious education and pastoral ministry
1980-1981	Franciscans (now Our Lady of Guadalupe Province, Albuquerque, New Mexico) attended San Lorenzo from St. Anthony's, Zuni
1981-1999	Diocesan priests administered San Lorenzo
1999-present	Diocesan priests have attended San Lorenzo from St. Patrick's, Chichiltah
2002-present	Missionaries of Charity (United States Foundation, Bronx, New York) have served San Lorenzo with religious education and pastoral ministry

Holdings of Catholic-related records about Native Americans:

Inclusive dates: 1981-present

Volume: Approximately .5 cubic foot

Description: The records at San Lorenzo Mission are not arranged according to a classification scheme. Consequently, description is by record type.

A. Sacramental records

Inclusive dates: 1965-present

Volume: 5 volumes

Description: Baptisms, first communions, confirmations, marriages, and burials for San Lorenzo Mission.

B. Other Records

Inclusive dates: ca. 1900-present

Volume: Several folders

Description: Clippings and scrapbooks, parish reports, photographs, and financial records for Good Shepherd Mission, Pinehaven, St. Patrick Church, Chichiltah, and San Lorenzo Church.