



Guide to Catholic-Related Records in the West about Native Americans
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Diocese of Gallup
NEW MEXICO, ZUNI

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St. Anthony Church and School

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Access: Some restrictions apply

History:

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| 1922-present | Franciscans (formerly St. John the Baptist; now Our Lady of Guadalupe Province, Albuquerque, New Mexico) established and have administered St. Anthony Church (Zuni) |
| 1923-1988 | Poor Sisters of St. Francis Seraph of the Perpetual Adoration (now St. Joseph Province, Colorado Springs, Colorado) established and staffed St. Anthony School |
| 1974-present | In part, sisters from various congregations staffed the school, including Dominican Sisters, 1978-1992; Franciscan Sisters of Peace (Haverstraw, New York), 1997-present; Sisters of Mercy, 1990-1993; Sisters of Notre Dame (Unknown), 1984-1995; Sisters of St. Joseph, 1997-1998; and Ursulines (Mount St. Joseph, Maple Mount, Kentucky), 1980-1999 |
| 1991-1997, 1998-present | Lay teachers have staffed the school |
| 1997-1998 | Franciscan Sisters of Peace (Haverstraw, New York) staffed the school |
| ca. 2000-present | Sisters of Charity of Leavenworth (Leavenworth, Kansas) have assisted in pastoral administration at St. Anthony's |

Franciscans from St. Anthony's visited the Ramah Navajo, 1951-1976
(transferred to San Lorenzo, Ramah).

History of Our Lady of Guadalupe Mission

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| 1629-1680 (closed), 1699-1821 | Franciscans (Santo Evangelico Province, Mexico City, Mexico) established and administered Our Lady of Guadalupe/ Nuestra Señora de la Candelaria de Halona Mission |
| 1629-1672 (closed) | Reverend Rogue de Figueredo, O.F.M. established and Franciscans administered Mission La Purísima Concepción de Aguico (Zuni), Hawikuh, until closed due to attacks by Apache Indians |

1821-1834, 1892-1894	Diocesan priests administered Our Lady of Guadalupe
1841-1852, 1854-1856	Diocesan priests attended Our Lady of Guadalupe from St. Augustine's, Isleta
1852-1854	Diocesan priests attended Our Lady of Guadalupe from San Francisco Cathedral, Santa Fe
1858-1882, 1894-1898	Diocesan priests attended Our Lady of Guadalupe from Nuestra Señora de los Dolores, Seboyeta
1884-1890	Diocesan priests attended Our Lady of Guadalupe from San Rafael, San Rafael
1899-1923	Diocesan priests attended Our Lady of Guadalupe from Sacred Heart Cathedral, Gallup
1921-present	Franciscans (formerly St. John the Baptist; now Our Lady of Guadalupe Province, Albuquerque, New Mexico) have administered Our Lady of Guadalupe
1966-present	In collaboration between the Zuni Tribe, Diocese of Gallup, and National Park Service, Our Lady of Guadalupe Mission has been undergoing restoration; in 1970, Artist Alex Seotewa (Zuni) began painting his monumental wall murals and in 2003, administration of the mission historical site transferred to the Zuni Tribe

Holdings of Catholic-related records about Native Americans:

Inclusive dates: 1907-present

Volume: Approximately 2.5 cubic feet

Description: The records at St. Anthony Church and School are not arranged according to a classification scheme. Consequently, description is by record type.

Parish Office

A. Sacramental records

Inclusive dates: 1907-present

Volume: 9 volumes

Description: For Our Lady of Guadalupe Mission and St. Anthony Church.

School Office

B. School records

Inclusive dates: 1930s-present

Volume: Approximately 2 cubic feet

Description: Student cumulative files for St. Anthony School.