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Benedictine Sisters (Sacred Heart Monastery, Dickinson, ND)

Congregation Website: https://sacredheartmonastery.com/

Affiliated Schools:

- Fort Berthold Reservation, North Dakota: Sacred Heart School

Notes: In 1910, sisters from St. Joseph’s Convent (now Monastery) in St. Marys, PA were sent to Fort Berthold, ND. In 1916, the sisters living in North Dakota established an independent community, which moved in 1920 to a motherhouse in Garrison, ND. In 1967, they moved again to Sacred Heart Monastery in Dickinson, ND. In historic records this community is often referred to as the Garrison Benedictines.

Benedictine Sisters (St. Joseph's Monastery, St. Marys, PA)

Affiliated Schools:

- Fort Berthold Reservation, North Dakota: Sacred Heart School

Notes: St. Joseph’s Monastery in St. Marys, PA, was North America’s first Benedictine convent. The Monastery closed in 2014 when the Benedictine Sisters of Elk County dissolved, and the sisters joined other Benedictine communities. At present, it is not known if any archival materials for the congregation exist.

Benedictine Sisters (St. Scholastica Monastery, Fort Smith, AR)

Congregation Website: https://www.stscho.org/about-us/

Affiliated Schools:

- Vinita, Oklahoma: Sacred Heart Academy
Notes: The community at St. Scholastica was founded by Benedictine Sisters from Ferdinand, Indiana, who arrived in Arkansas in 1878. The Monastery at St. Scholastica was founded in 1924.

Benedictine Sisters in Mt. Angel

Congregation Website: https://www.benedictine-srs.org/

Affiliated Schools:
- Grand Ronde, Oregon: St. Mary's Indian Industrial School

Benedictine Sisters of Sacred Heart Monastery (Yankton, SD)

Congregation Website: https://yanktonbenedictines.org/

Affiliated Schools:
- Fort Yates, North Dakota: St. Scholastica Indian Boarding School
- Chamberlain, South Dakota: St. Joseph's Indian School
- Kenel, South Dakota: St. Benedict Indian School (renamed Martin Kenel Agricultural School)
- Stephan, South Dakota: Immaculate Conception Indian School

Benedictine Sisters of Watertown, SD

Congregation Website: https://watertownbenedictines.org/

Affiliated Schools:
- Stephan, South Dakota: Immaculate Conception Indian School (see note)

Notes: In 1961, the sisters living in Pierre, SD established an independent community. In 1967 the community moved to the Mother of God Monastery in Watertown SD. In historic records this community is often referred to as the Pierre Benedictines.
Brothers of Charity of the Immaculate Heart of Mary

Affiliated Schools:

- Banning, California: St. Boniface Indian Industrial School

Notes: According to R. Bruce Harley’s *Readings in Diocesan History*, the Brothers of Charity of the Immaculate Heart of Mary were founded (possibly by the Bishop of San Diego) to staff St. Boniface School in Banning, CA. It is not known when the group disbanded or if any archival materials for the brothers exist.

Brothers of Christian Instruction

Congregation Website: [https://www.brothersofchristianinstruction.org](https://www.brothersofchristianinstruction.org)

Affiliated Schools:

- Holy Cross (formerly Koserefsky), Alaska: Holy Cross Mission School

Brothers of St. Jude

Affiliated Schools:

- Banning, California: St. Boniface Indian Industrial School

Notes: According to R. Bruce Harley’s *Readings in Diocesan History*, the Brothers of St. Jude were founded (possibly by the Bishop of San Diego) to staff St. Boniface School in Banning, CA. The group disbanded in 1957 and it is not known if any archival materials for the brothers exist.

Brothers of the Sacred Heart

Congregation Website: [https://www.brothersofsacredheart.org/](https://www.brothersofsacredheart.org/)

Affiliated Schools:

- Muskogee, Oklahoma: Nazareth College
- Muskogee, Oklahoma: Nazareth Institute
- Muskogee, Oklahoma: St. Joseph's College

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Capuchin Franciscans (Province of St. Joseph)

Congregation Website: [https://www.thecapuchins.org/](https://www.thecapuchins.org/)

Affiliated Schools:
- Ashland, Montana: St. Labre Mission School
- St. Xavier, Montana: St. Xavier Mission School

Congregation of Divine Providence (San Antonio, TX)

Congregation Website: [https://www.cdptexas.org/](https://www.cdptexas.org/)

Archives:
- [https://www.cdptexas.org/archives/](https://www.cdptexas.org/archives/)

Affiliated Schools:
- Antlers, Oklahoma: St. Agnes Academy
- Quapaw, Oklahoma: St. Mary of the Quapaws
- Vinita, Oklahoma: Sacred Heart Academy

Congregation of Sisters of St. Agnes

Congregation Website: [https://www.csasisters.org/](https://www.csasisters.org/)

Archives:
- [https://www.csasisters.org/archives-request.cfm](https://www.csasisters.org/archives-request.cfm)

Affiliated Schools:
- Assinins, Michigan: St. Joseph's Orphanage and School
De La Salle Christian Brothers (Midwest District)

Congregation Website: www.cbmidwest.org

Archives:

- Archives and Special Collections of Manhattan College and the De La Salle Christian Brothers, Manhattan College, NY: https://archivesspace.manhattan.edu/repositories/6/resources/

Affiliated Schools:

- Des Plaines, Illinois: St. Mary Training School
- Hominy Creek, Oklahoma: St. John's School

Dominican Sisters of Oxford, MI

Congregation Website: https://oppeace.org/

Affiliated Schools:

- Chamberlain, South Dakota: St. Joseph's Indian School

Notes: In 2009, the Dominican Sisters of Oxford, MI merged with six other Dominican Communities to form the Dominican Sisters of Peace, Columbus, OH.

Dominican Sisters of Sparkill

Congregation Website: https://sparkill.org/

Affiliated Schools:

- Hays, Montana: St. Paul's Mission School
Franciscan Sisters of Christian Charity

Congregation Website: https://fscc-calledtobe.org/

Archives:
- https://fscc-calledtobe.org/resource-type/archives/

Affiliated Schools:
- Komatke (Laveen), Arizona: St. John's School

Franciscan Sisters of Perpetual Adoration

Congregation Website: https://www.fspa.org/

Affiliated Schools:
- Odanah, Wisconsin: St. Mary's Indian School

Franciscan Sisters of the Sacred Heart (Frankfort, IL)

Congregation Website: https://fssh.net/

Archives:
- https://www.fssharchives.com/

Affiliated Schools:
- Rensselaer, Indiana: St. Joseph's Normal School for Indian Boys

Franciscans Brothers of Clontarf

Congregation Website: https://franciscanstor.org/
Congregation Archives:

- Father Bonaventure Kiley, T.O.R.
  Archives
  Province of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, Third Order Regular
  P.O. Box 40
  Loretto, PA 15940

Affiliated Schools:

- Clontarf, Minnesota: St. Paul's Industrial School

Notes: The bishop of the Diocese of St. Paul asked the Franciscan Brothers of Brooklyn to staff the school in Clontarf. When the brothers arrived, they did so under the obedience of the bishop of St. Paul and elected a superior, establishing a new congregation independent of the Brothers in Brooklyn. In 1895, the Brothers in Clontarf moved to Spaulding, Nebraska where they were under the obedience of the bishop of the Diocese of Omaha. About 1910, they joined the Franciscan community in Loretto, Pennsylvania and together they became the Franciscan Friars of the Third Order Regular (Province of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus).

Jesuits (Central & Southern Province)

Congregation Website: [https://www.jesuitscentralsouthern.org/](https://www.jesuitscentralsouthern.org/)

Archives:

- [http://jesuitarchives.org/](http://jesuitarchives.org/)

Affiliated Schools:

- St. Mary's, Kansas: Potawatomi Manual Labor School
- St. Mary's, Kansas: St. Mary's Mission (Sacred Heart Academy after 1870)
- Florissant, Missouri: St. Regis Indian Seminary
- Saint Stephens, Wyoming: St. Stephen's Indian School

Jesuits (Midwest Province)

Congregation Website: [https://www.jesuitsmidwest.org/](https://www.jesuitsmidwest.org/)
Archives:

- [http://jesuitarchives.org/](http://jesuitarchives.org/)

**Affiliated Schools:**

- Pine Ridge, South Dakota: Red Cloud Indian School (formerly Holy Rosary Mission)
- Porcupine, South Dakota: Our Lady of Lourdes
- St. Francis, South Dakota: St. Francis Mission School

**Jesuits (West Province)**

**Congregation Website:** [https://www.jesuitwest.org/](https://www.jesuitwest.org/)

**Archives:**

- [http://jesuitarchives.org/](http://jesuitarchives.org/)

**Affiliated Schools:**

- Dillingham, Alaska: Holy Rosary Mission School
- Glennallen, Alaska: Copper Valley School
- Holy Cross (formerly Koserefsky), Alaska: Holy Cross Mission School
- Pilgrim Springs, Alaska: Our Lady of Lourdes
- St. Mary’s (formerly located in Akulurak), Alaska: St. Mary’s Mission School
- De Smet (Desmet), Idaho: De Smet Boys’ Industrial School
- De Smet (Desmet), Idaho: Mary Immaculate School
- Slickpoo, Idaho: St. Joseph Mission School
- Ashland, Montana: St. Labre Mission School
- Hays, Montana: St. Paul’s Mission School
- Holy Family Mission, Montana: Holy Family Mission School
- Pryor, Montana: St. Charles Mission School
- St. Ignatius, Montana: St. Ignatius Indian Industrial Boarding School
- St. Ignatius, Montana: Holy Family School (St. Ignatius Indian School)
- St. Ignatius, Montana: Villa Ursula
- St. Peter, Montana: St. Peter Mission School
- St. Xavier, Montana: St. Xavier Mission School
- Pendleton, Oregon: St. Andrew’s School
- Colville Reservation, Washington: Boarding School for Boys
- Ward, Washington: Sacred Heart School
- Yakima, Washington: St. Joseph Academy / St. Francis Xavier
- Omak, Washington: St. Mary's Indian Mission School

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Notes: A large number of Jesuit records related to their work in Alaska have been microfilmed and are available at many university archives. For more information, see www.worldcat.org and search for “Oregon Province Archives of the Society of Jesus Alaska Mission Collection.”

Missionaries of the Precious Blood (United States Province)

Congregation Website: https://cpps-preciousblood.org/

Affiliated Schools:

- Banning, California: St. Boniface Indian Industrial School
- Rensselaer, Indiana: St. Joseph's Normal School for Indian Boys

Notes: In 1890, the bishop of Monterey and Los Angeles asked Fr. Florian Hahn, C.PP.S. to serve as administrator of St. Boniface Indian Industrial School at Banning, CA. Hahn was a member of the Missionaries of the Precious Blood, but he served at the school under the direction of the bishop, rather than his religious community. In 1902, he became a priest for the Diocese of Monterey and Los Angeles, severing his ties with the Missionaries of the Precious Blood community. The Missionaries of the Precious Blood have some records about Fr. Hahn, but they do not have records related to his work at the school.

Missionary Benedictine Sisters (Norfolk, NE)

Congregation Website: https://www.mbsmissionaries.org/

Affiliated Schools:

- Winnebago, Nebraska: St. Augustine Indian Mission School

Missionary Oblates of Mary Immaculate

Affiliated Schools:

- Tulalip, Washington: Our Lady of Seven Dolors School
- Tulalip, Washington: School for Male Indian Boys
Notes: In 1847, Rev. E. C. Chirouse and four other Missionary Oblates of Mary Immaculate arrived in Washington state from France. In 1857, Rev. Chirouse moved to the Tulalip Reservation and opened a school, which closed in 1878 when the Oblate Fathers withdrew from Tulalip. Rev. Chirouse’s work at Tulalip took place before the Oblate province in the United States was established. The archivists for the United States Province and the Oblate General Archives in Rome confirmed that the records for Tulalip are not located in either location.

Missionary Oblates of Mary Immaculate (United States Province)

Congregation Website: https://www.omiusa.org/

Archives:
- Oblate School of Theology, San Antonio, TX:
  https://ost.edu/southwestern-oblate-historical-archives

Affiliated Schools:
- Sisseton, South Dakota: Tekakwitha Indian Mission Orphanage

Notre Dame Sisters (Omaha, NE)

Congregation Website: https://notredamesisters.org/

Affiliated Schools:
- Porcupine, South Dakota: Our Lady of Lourdes

Oblate Sisters of the Blessed Sacrament (Marty, SD)

Congregation Website: https://martycatholic.wordpress.com/meet-the-oblate-sisters/

Archives:
- Marquette University, Milwaukee, WI, Oblate Sisters of the Blessed Sacrament Collection:
  https://www.marquette.edu/library/archives/Special_Collections/christianity_and_native_america.php

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Affiliated Schools:

- Chamberlain, South Dakota: St. Joseph's Indian School
- Marty, South Dakota: St. Paul's Indian Boarding School

Order of Friars Minor (Province of Our Lady of Guadalupe)

Congregation Website: [https://swfranciscans.org/](https://swfranciscans.org/)

Affiliated Schools:

- St. Michaels, Arizona: St. Michael Indian School

Order of Friars Minor (Province of Saint Barbara)

Congregation Website: [https://sbfranciscans.org/](https://sbfranciscans.org/)

Archives:

- Marquette University, Milwaukee, WI, St. John the Baptist - Santa Barbara Provinces

Franciscan Record:


Affiliated Schools:

- Komatke (Laveen), Arizona: St. John's School
- Banning, California: St. Boniface Indian Industrial School

Order of Friars Minor (Province of St. John the Baptist)

Congregation Website: [https://www.franciscan.org/](https://www.franciscan.org/)

Archives:

- Marquette University, Milwaukee, WI, St. John the Baptist - Santa Barbara Provinces

Franciscan Record:


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Affiliated Schools:

- St. Michaels, Arizona: St. Michael Indian School

Order of Friars Minor (Province of the Sacred Heart)

Congregation Website: https://thefriars.org/

Archives:

- https://thefriars.org/Archives
- Marquette University, Milwaukee, WI, Sacred Heart Province Franciscan Records: https://www.marquette.edu/library/archives/Mss/SHF/

Affiliated Schools:

- Komatke (Laveen), Arizona: St. John's School
- Kelseyville, California: St. Turibius Mission School
- Harbor Springs, Michigan: Holy Childhood of Jesus School
- Bayfield, Wisconsin: St. Mary's Industrial Institute
- Keshena, Wisconsin: St. Joseph Industrial School
- Odanah, Wisconsin: St. Mary's Indian School

Order of St. Benedict (Assumption Abbey, Richardton, ND)

Congregation Website: https://assumptionabbey.com/

Affiliated Schools:

- Fort Berthold Reservation, North Dakota: Sacred Heart School

Order of St. Benedict (Blue Cloud Abbey, Marvin, SD)

Congregation Website: https://www.saintmeinrad.org/
Archives:

- Augustana University, Sioux Falls, SD
  [https://www.augie.edu/augustana-university-archives](https://www.augie.edu/augustana-university-archives)
- Saint Meinrad Archives, Meinrad, IN
  [https://www.saintmeinrad.org/the-monastery/archives/](https://www.saintmeinrad.org/the-monastery/archives/)

Affiliated Schools:

- St. Michael, North Dakota: Little Flower School
- Marty, South Dakota: St. Paul's Indian Boarding School
- Stephan, South Dakota: Immaculate Conception Indian School

Notes: Blue Cloud Abbey closed 2012. Their records became part of the Swiss-American Congregation Archives, which are housed at Saint Meinrad Abbey Archives. Blue Cloud Abbey was also the site of the American Indian Cultural Research Center. Those materials were transferred to Augustana University when the abbey closed. The University's collection includes materials related to the boarding schools operated and/or staffed by the Benedictines at Blue Cloud Abbey.

Order of St. Benedict (Conception Abbey, Conception, MO)

Congregation Website: [https://www.conceptionabbey.org/](https://www.conceptionabbey.org/)

Archives:

- Conception Library, Conception, MO:
  [https://www.conception.edu/library/archives/](https://www.conception.edu/library/archives/)
- Marquette University, Milwaukee, WI, Conception Abbey Records, 1876-1878, 1881-1967, 1971-1973, undated collection includes materials from Conception Abbey related to their Native American missions and schools
  [https://www.marquette.edu/library/archives/Mss/CA/CA-sc.php](https://www.marquette.edu/library/archives/Mss/CA/CA-sc.php)

Affiliated Schools:

- Fort Yates, North Dakota: St. Scholastica Indian Boarding School
- Kenel, South Dakota: St. Benedict Indian School (renamed Martin Kenel Agricultural School)

Order of St. Benedict (Saint Meinrad Abbey, St. Meinrad, IN)

Congregation Website: [https://www.saintmeinrad.org/](https://www.saintmeinrad.org/)

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Archives:

- https://www.saintmeinrad.org/the-monastery/archives/

Affiliated Schools:

- Fort Yates, North Dakota: St. Scholastica Indian Boarding School
- St. Michael, North Dakota: Little Flower School
- Kenel, South Dakota: St. Benedict Indian School (renamed Martin Kenel Agricultural School)
- Marty, South Dakota: St. Paul's Indian Boarding School
- Stephan, South Dakota: Immaculate Conception Indian School (see note)

Order of St. Benedict (Saint Vincent Archabbey, Latrobe, PA)

Congregation Website: https://saintvincentarchabbey.org/

Archives:

- Saint Vincent College, Latrobe, PA: https://www.stvincent.edu/academics/academic-support-and-resources/latimer-library.html

Affiliated Schools:

- Banning, California: St. Boniface Indian Industrial School

Order of St. Benedict (St. Benedict's Abbey, Atchison, KS)

Congregation Website: https://www.kansasmonks.org/

Affiliated Schools:

- Santa Fe, New Mexico: St. Catherine Indian School

Order of St. Benedict (St. Gregory's Abbey, Shawnee, OK)

Congregation Website: https://monksok.org/
Affiliated Schools:

- Anadarko, Oklahoma: St. Patrick Indian Mission
- Hominy Creek, Oklahoma: St. John's School
- Purcell, Oklahoma: St. Elizabeth School
- Sacred Heart (Konawa), Oklahoma: Sacred Heart Institute (St. Benedict's Industrial School, 1887-1895)
- Sacred Heart (Konawa), Oklahoma: St. Mary's Academy

Notes: In 1876, the Order of St. Benedict established Sacred Heart Abbey in Sacred Heart, OK. In 1929, the community was transferred to Shawnee, OK and the new abbey was named St. Gregory. In historic records this community is often referred to as the Sacred Heart Benedictines.

Order of St. Benedict (St. John's Abbey, Collegeville, MN)

Congregation Website: [https://saintjohnsabbey.org/](https://saintjohnsabbey.org/)

Archives:

- [https://saintjohnsabbey.org/abbey-archives](https://saintjohnsabbey.org/abbey-archives)

Affiliated Schools:

- Collegeville, Minnesota: St. John's Indian Industrial School
- White Earth, Minnesota: St. Benedict's Industrial School for Indian Girls (later St. Benedict's Mission School)

Priests of the Sacred Heart (Hales Corners, WI)

Congregation Website: [https://poshusa.org/](https://poshusa.org/)

Archives:

- Sacred Heart Seminary and School of Theology
  Leo Dehon Library, Hales Corners, WI:

Affiliated Schools:

- Chamberlain, South Dakota: St. Joseph's Indian School
Religious Benedictines of the Perpetual Adoration

Affiliated Schools:

- Sacred Heart (Konawa), Oklahoma: St. Mary’s Academy

Notes: According to Catholic directories, the “Religious Benedictines of Perpetual Adoration” staffed Sacred Heart Academy, Sacred Heart, OK from 1880–1884. However, according to Tenacious Monks: The Oklahoma Benedictines, 1875–1975, by Joseph F. Murphy, the school was staffed by the “Sisters of Perpetual Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament” from New Orleans. No additional information can be found for either community at this time.

School Sisters of Notre Dame (Central Pacific Province)

Congregation Website: https://www.ssndcentralpacific.org/

Archives:


Affiliated Schools:

- Harbor Springs, Michigan: Holy Childhood of Jesus School

School Sisters of St. Francis

Congregation Website: https://www.sssf.org/

Archives:

- https://www.sssf.org/SSSF/Get-To-Know-Us/Archives.htm

Affiliated Schools:

- Ashland, Montana: St. Labre Mission School
- Hays, Montana: St. Paul’s Mission School
Sisters of Charity of Leavenworth

Congregation Website: www.scls.org

Archives:

- https://www.scls.org/archives/

Affiliated Schools:

- Saint Stephens, Wyoming: St. Stephen's Indian School

Sisters of Charity of Montreal (otherwise known as Grey Nuns)

Congregation Website: https://sgm.qc.ca/en/

Archives:


Affiliated Schools:

- Devil's Lake, North Dakota: Our Lady of Sorrows
- Fort Totten, North Dakota: St. Michael's Indian School
- St. Michael, North Dakota: Little Flower School

Sisters of Loretto

Congregation Website: https://www.lorettocommunity.org/

Archives:

- Loretto Heritage Center and Archives, Nerinx, KY: https://www.lorettocommunity.org/about/motherhouse/heritage-center-archives/

Affiliated Schools:

- Bernalillo, New Mexico: Bernalillo Boarding School for Indian Girls
- Santa Fe, New Mexico: St. Catherine Indian School
- Pawhuska, Oklahoma: St. Louis School for Osage Indian Girls (renamed St. Louis Academy, 1942)
Sisters of Mercy of the Americas

Congregation Website: https://sistersofmercy.org

Archives:

● Mercy Heritage Center, Belmont, NC: https://sisters.staging.neboagency.com/about-us/mercy-heritage-center/contact-the-archives/

Affiliated Schools:

● Morris, Minnesota: Mission of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart Indian Industrial School
● Hogansburg, New York: Indian Girls' Industrial School
● Belcourt, North Dakota: St. Mary's Industrial Boarding School
● Ardmore, Oklahoma: St. Agnes Academy for Girls
● Sacred Heart (Konawa), Oklahoma: St. Mary's Academy
● Pendleton, Oregon: St. Anne’s/St. Joseph’s
● Chamberlain, South Dakota: St. Joseph’s Indian School

Sisters of Mount Carmel

Congregation Website: https://www.sistersofmountcarmel.org/

Archives:

● https://www.sistersofmountcarmel.org/archives/

Affiliated Schools:

● Vinita, Oklahoma: Sacred Heart Academy

Sisters of Notre Dame of the United States

Congregation Website: https://sndusa.org/

Affiliated Schools:

● Winnebago, Nebraska: St. Augustine Indian Mission School
Sisters of Providence (formerly Daughters of Charity, Servants of the Poor)

Congregation Website: https://sistersofprovidence.net/

Archives:

- https://www.providence.org/about/providence-archives

Affiliated Schools:

- De Smet (Desmet), Idaho: Mary Immaculate School
- St. Ignatius, Montana: Holy Family School (St. Ignatius Indian School)
- Ward, Washington: Sacred Heart School
- Yakima, Washington: St. Joseph Academy / St. Francis Xavier
- Tulalip, Washington: Our Lady of Seven Dolors School

Sisters of St. Ann (St. Joseph Community)

Congregation Website: http://www.ssacong.org/eng/provinces/colombie_b.htm

Archives:

- Royal BC Museum, Victoria, BC:
  https://royalbcmuseum.bc.ca/archives/search-our-collections

Affiliated Schools:

- Glennallen, Alaska: Copper Valley School
- Holy Cross (formerly Koserefsky), Alaska: Holy Cross Mission School
- Skagway, Alaska: Plus X Mission
- St. Marys (formerly located in Akulurak), Alaska: St. Mary's Mission School

Notes: As of March 2023, the Royal BC Museum has physical custody of the Sisters of St. Ann archives and is working toward full legal acquisition. In the meantime, requests for information about the Sisters’ collection can be sent to: access@royalbcmuseum.bc.ca.

Sisters of St. Benedict (Ferdinand, IN)

Congregation Website: https://thedome.org/
Archives:

- https://thedome.org/about/monastery-archives/

Affiliated Schools:

- Fort Yates, North Dakota: St. Scholastica Indian Boarding School
- Kenel, South Dakota: St. Benedict Indian School (renamed Martin Kenel Agricultural School)

Sisters of St. Dominic of the Immaculate Heart of Mary Province (later Spokane Dominicans)

Congregation Website: https://www.sinsinawa.org/

Archives:

- Spokane Dominican archives, housed at the Sinsinawa Dominican Archives, Sinsinawa, WI: https://www.sinsinawa.org/about-us/dominican_history/archives.html

Affiliated Schools:

- Omak, Washington: St. Mary's Indian Mission School

Notes: The Spokane Dominicans merged with the Sinsinawa Dominicans in the 1990s.

Sisters of St. Francis (Oldenburg, IN)

Congregation Website: https://www.oldenburgfranciscans.org/

Archives:

- https://www.oldenburgfranciscans.org/archives.html
- University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, IN: https://archives.nd.edu/findaids/ead/xml/olb.xml

Affiliated Schools:

- St. Xavier, Montana: St. Xavier Mission School
Sisters of St. Francis of Mary Immaculate

Congregation Website: [https://www.jolietfranciscans.org/](https://www.jolietfranciscans.org/)
Archives:
- [https://jolietfranciscanshistory.org/](https://jolietfranciscanshistory.org/)
Affiliated Schools:
- Bayfield, Wisconsin: St. Mary’s Industrial Institute

Sisters of St. Francis of Penance and Christian Charity (North American Province)

Congregation Website: [https://www.stellaosf.org/](https://www.stellaosf.org/)
Archives:
- [https://www.stellaosf.org/archives](https://www.stellaosf.org/archives)
Affiliated Schools:
- Pine Ridge, South Dakota: Red Cloud Indian School (formerly Holy Rosary Mission)
- St. Francis, South Dakota: St. Francis Mission School

Sisters of St. Francis of Penance and Christian Charity (Sacred Heart Community)

Congregation Website: [https://sacredheartprovince.franciscanway.org](https://sacredheartprovince.franciscanway.org)
Archives:
- [https://sacredheartprovince.franciscanway.org/archives/](https://sacredheartprovince.franciscanway.org/archives/)
Affiliated Schools:
- Pine Ridge, South Dakota: Red Cloud Indian School (formerly Holy Rosary Mission)
- St. Francis, South Dakota: St. Francis Mission School

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Notes: In 1937, the Province of North America of the Sisters of St. Francis of Penance and Christian Charity was divided into two provinces, east and west of the Mississippi River. In 1939, the western province was again divided, into west and Midwest, with the Sacred Heart Province (Midwest), based in Colorado, including the Sisters in Colorado, Nebraska, North Dakota, and South Dakota. In September 2022, due to the declining number of Sisters, the Sacred Heart Province became the Sacred Heart Community.

Sisters of St. Francis of Philadelphia

Congregation Website: https://osfphila.org/
Affiliated Schools:

- Anadarko, Oklahoma: St. Patrick Indian Mission
- Chickasha, Oklahoma: St. Joseph's Academy
- Hominy Creek, Oklahoma: St. John's School
- Pawhuska, Oklahoma: St. Louis School for Osage Indian Girls (renamed St. Louis Academy, 1942)
- Purcell, Oklahoma: St. Elizabeth School
- Pendleton, Oregon: St. Andrew's School
- Chamberlain, South Dakota: St. Joseph's Indian School
- Tacoma, Washington: St. George's Indian School
- Saint Stephens, Wyoming: St. Stephen's Indian School

Sisters of St. Joseph

Archives:

- Sisters of St. Joseph of Concordia, KS: https://www.csjkansas.org
- Sisters of St. Joseph of Brentwood: https://brentwoodcsj.org
- Carondelet Consolidated Archives, St. Louis, MO: https://csjcarondelet.org/about/archives/
Affiliated Schools:

- Antlers, Oklahoma: St. Agnes Academy
- Muskogee, Oklahoma: Nazareth Institute
- Quapaw, Oklahoma: St. Mary of the Quapaws

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Notes: In 1893, Sr. Virginia Joyce, formerly a member of the Sisters of St. Joseph in Brooklyn, NY (now Brentwood, NY), left New York for Oklahoma. When she arrived in Muskogee she established her own religious community. It is not known if any records exist for this community. However, the Sisters of St. Joseph of Brentwood, Sisters of St. Joseph of Concordia, KS, and the Sisters of St. Joseph of Carondelet do have some records related to Sr. Virginia or sisters from their community that joined Sr. Virginia in Oklahoma.

Sisters of St. Joseph of Baden

Congregation Website: www.stjoseph-baden.org

Archives:

- Kathleen Washy, Archivist
  kwashy@stjoseph-baden.org

Affiliated Schools:

- Saint Stephens, Wyoming: St. Stephen's Indian School

Sisters of St. Joseph of Carondelet (Los Angeles Province)

Website: https://csjla.org/

Archives:

- Los Angeles Province Archives, Los Angeles, CA: https://csjla.org/archives/
- Carondelet Consolidated Archives, St. Louis, MO: https://csjcarondelet.org/about/archives/

Affiliated Schools:

- Komatke (Laveen), Arizona: St. John's School
- Banning, California: St. Boniface Indian Industrial School
- Fort Yuma, California: Fort Yuma Indian School
- San Diego, California: St. Anthony's Industrial School
- Slickpoo, Idaho: St. Joseph Mission School

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Sisters of St. Joseph of Carondelet (St. Louis Province)

Congregation Website: [https://csjsl.org](https://csjsl.org)

Archives:

- Carondelet Consolidated Archives, St. Louis, MO: [https://csjcarondelet.org/about/archives/](https://csjcarondelet.org/about/archives/)

Affiliated Schools:

- Assinins, Michigan: St. Joseph's Orphanage and School
- Muskogee, Oklahoma: Nazareth Institute
- Keshena, Wisconsin: St. Joseph Industrial School

Sisters of St. Joseph of Carondelet, St. Paul Province

Congregation Website: [https://www.csjstpaul.org/](https://www.csjstpaul.org/)

Archives:


Affiliated Schools:

- Avoca, Minnesota: Academy of the Holy Child
- Graceville, Minnesota: Convent of Our Lady of the Lake

Sisters of St. Joseph of Concordia, Kansas

Congregation Website: [https://www.csjkansas.org/](https://www.csjkansas.org/)

Archives:

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Affiliated Schools:

- Saint Stephens, Wyoming: St. Stephen's Indian School
Sisters of St. Joseph of Tipton, IN (now Congregation of St. Joseph)

Congregation Website: [https://www.csjoseph.org/](https://www.csjoseph.org/)

Archives:

- [https://www.csjoseph.org/archives/](https://www.csjoseph.org/archives/)

Affiliated Schools:

- Slickpoo, Idaho: St. Joseph Mission School

Notes: In 2007, the Sisters of St. Joseph of Tipton, IN and six other communities of Sisters of St. Joseph came together to found the Congregation of St Joseph.

Sisters of St. Rose of Lima (Texarkana, TX)

Affiliated Schools:

- Antlers, Oklahoma: St. Agnes Academy

Notes: The Sisters of St. Rose of Lima were originally members of the Congregation of Sisters of St. Agnes in Fond du Lac, Wisconsin. The congregation sent sisters to Texarkana to establish a school. They were later recalled, but several refused to return. They reorganized themselves as the Sisters of St. Rose of Lima. It appears that the congregation was short-lived and ceased to exist by 1908. It is not known if any archival materials for the congregation exist.

Sisters of the Blessed Sacrament

Congregation Website: [https://www.katharinedrexel.org/](https://www.katharinedrexel.org/)

Archives:

- Catholic Historical Research Center of the Archdiocese of Philadelphia: [https://chrc-phila.org/](https://chrc-phila.org/)

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Affiliated Schools:

- St. Michaels, Arizona: St. Michael Indian School
- Winnebago, Nebraska: St. Augustine Indian Mission School
- Santa Fe, New Mexico: St. Catherine Indian School
- Pawhuska, Oklahoma: St. Louis School for Osage Indian Girls (renamed St. Louis Academy, 1942)
- Marty, South Dakota: St. Paul's Indian Boarding School

Sisters of the Divine Savior

Congregation Website: https://sistersofthedivinesavior.org
Affiliated Schools:

- Sisseton, South Dakota: Tekakwitha Indian Mission Orphanage

Sisters of the Good Shepherd (Province of Mid-North America)

Congregation Website: https://sistersofthegoodshepherd.com/
Archives:

- https://sistersofthegoodshepherd.com/request-for-archives-information/
Affiliated Schools:

- Denver, Colorado: House of the Good Shepherd

Sisters of the Holy Humility of Mary

Congregation Website: https://www.humilityofmary.org
Affiliated Schools:

- Porcupine, South Dakota: Our Lady of Lourdes
Sisters of the Holy Names of Jesus and Mary (U.S.-Ontario Province)

Congregation Website: https://www.snjmusontario.org/
Archives:
  ● https://www.snjmusontario.org/archives/
Affiliated Schools:
  ● Grand Ronde, Oregon: St. Mary's Indian Industrial School

Sisters of the Order of Saint Benedict, St. Joseph, MN

Congregation Website: https://sbm.osb.org/
Archives:
  ● https://sbm.osb.org/news/archives/
Affiliated Schools:
  ● Red Lake, Minnesota: St. Mary's Mission School
  ● St. Joseph, Minnesota: St. Benedict's Industrial School
  ● White Earth, Minnesota: St. Benedict's Industrial School for Indian Girls (later St. Benedict's Mission School)
  ● Grand Ronde, Oregon: St. Mary's Indian Industrial School

Sisters, Servants of the Immaculate Heart of Mary

Congregation Website: https://ihmsisters.org/
Archives:
  ● https://ihmsisters.org/who-we-are/history-and-archives/
Affiliated Schools:
  ● Saint Stephens, Wyoming: St. Stephen's Indian School

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Society of Saint Edmund

Congregation Website: [https://www.sse.org/](https://www.sse.org/)

Archives:

- Saint Michael's College, Colchester, VT:
  [https://lib.smcvt.edu/archives](https://lib.smcvt.edu/archives)

Affiliated Schools:

- Ashland, Montana: St. Labre Mission School

Society of the Holy Child Jesus (American Province)

Congregation Website: [https://www.shcj.org/american/](https://www.shcj.org/american/)

Archives:

- Roseanne McDougall, SHCJ, Director
  [rmcdougall@shcj.org](mailto:rmcdougall@shcj.org)

Affiliated Schools:

- Avoca, Minnesota: Academy of the Holy Child

Society of the Sacred Heart

Congregation Website: [https://rscj.org/](https://rscj.org/)

Archives:

- [https://rscj.org/archives](https://rscj.org/archives)

Affiliated Schools:

- St. Mary's, Kansas: St. Mary's Mission (Sacred Heart Academy after 1870)
Congregation Website: [http://usaromanunionursulines.org/](http://usaromanunionursulines.org/)

Affiliated Schools:

- Pilgrim Springs, Alaska: Our Lady of Lourdes
- St. Mary’s (formerly located in Akulurak), Alaska: St. Mary’s Mission School
- Ashland, Montana: St. Labre Mission School
- Hays, Montana: St. Paul’s Mission School
- Holy Family Mission, Montana: Holy Family Mission School
- Pryor, Montana: St. Charles Mission School
- St. Ignatius, Montana: St. Ignatius Indian Industrial Boarding School
- St. Ignatius, Montana: Villa Ursula
- St. Peter, Montana: St. Peter Mission School
- St. Xavier, Montana: St. Xavier Mission School