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## Shrine Basilica of Saint Francis Xavier

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Vincennes

205 Church Street - Vincennes - United States of America



The parish of Saint Francis Xavier is the oldest in Indiana, with parish records beginning in 1749. The foundation of the present church was laid in 1826. The first four bishops of the Diocese of Vincennes are buried in the crypt. The church was elevated to the rank of minor basilica in 1970.