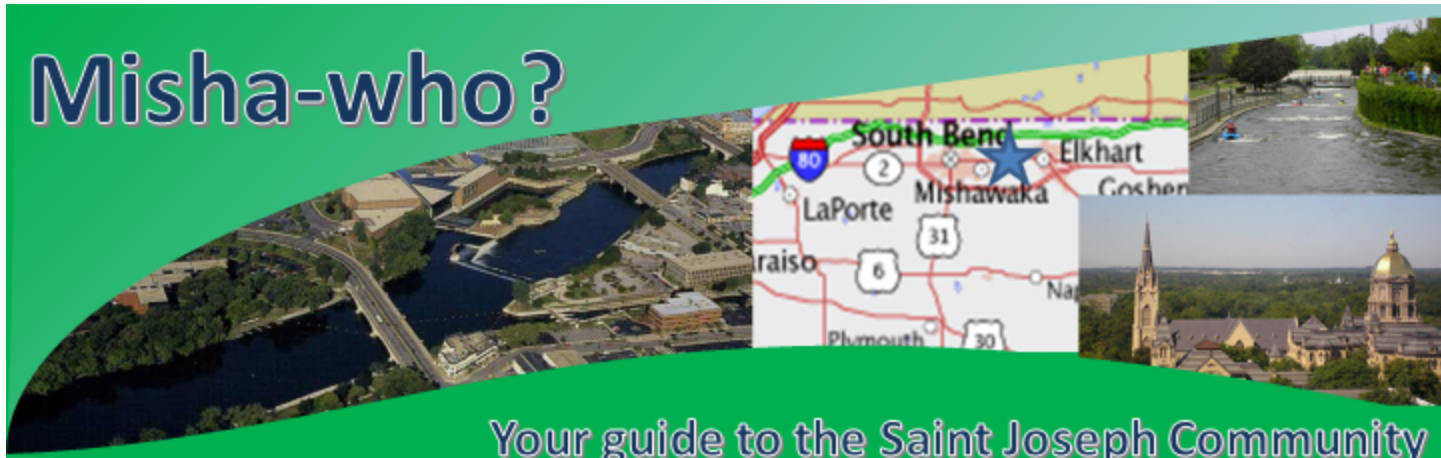


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Your guide to the Saint Joseph Community

Mishawaka, Indiana is located in north central Indiana along the Indiana Toll Road (Interstate 80/90). Situated in Saint Joseph County, in the Eastern Time Zone, Mishawaka is part of an area known as Michiana. Also included in this region are the municipalities of South Bend, Granger, and Elkhart: where a majority of our residents, faculty, and patients reside.

Population (2013)

Saint Joseph County: 266,709
South Bend: 100,886
Elkhart: 51,265
Mishawaka: 47,989
Granger: 30,465

County Demographics (2013)

Race:	Age:
White: 81.5%	<5yo: 6.5%
Asian: 2.2%	<18yo: 24%
Hispanic: 7.9%	>65yo: 14.1%
African American: 13.1%	
Pacific Islander: 0.1%	
American Indian: 0.5%	

17.7% below poverty level
13.4% speak languages other than English at home

Climate

Warmest Month Average: 83°F (Jul)
Coldest Month Average: 31°F (Jan)
Snowiest Month Average: 21 in (Jan)
Rainiest Month Average: 4 in (Jul)

Transportation

Travel by plane, train, or bus from South Bend International Airport.
Travel within Michiana via car, bus, taxi, or Uber.

Close to the following:

- Chicago: 102mi, 1.75 hour drive, 2 hour train ride on the South Shore
- Indianapolis: 153mi, 2.75 hour drive
- Lake Michigan: 38mi, 50 minute drive

Arts & Entertainment

There are 13 area museums, including the Studebaker National Museum, the Snite Museum of Art, located on Notre Dame's campus, and the Potawatomi Zoo, home to more than 400 animals. See nationally touring artists, comedians, and Broadway shows at the Morris Performing Arts Center.

Sports and Leisure

South Bend is home to the University of Notre Dame as well as the South Bend Cubs, a single-A minor league affiliate of the Chicago Cubs. You can also enjoy community leisure events, such as kayaking in the East Race, free yoga during the summer in Howard Park, a variety of running races and triathlons, such as the Sunburst Half Marathon and Notre Dame's Holy Half Marathon. Take a trip up to Saint Patrick's Park during the winter for cross country skiing or snow tubing. Mishawaka is also within 45 minutes of 3 ski resorts. Need a gym? Find your perfect gym with over 20 to choose from including full-service gyms, crossfit gyms, and 24-hour gyms.

Food & Drink

Enjoy a plethora of restaurants with cuisines from around the world. From Vietnamese to Italian, Indian to New American, the area can satisfy your cravings.

The area is home to 4 local breweries and is within 45 minutes of several more nationally renowned breweries, wineries, and distilleries: such as Greenbush, 3Floyds, Journeyman, Round Barn, and Tabor Hill.

Schools

Three major school districts comprise this area with some of the best schools in the state.

- Penn-Harris-Madison: ranked 44th in the state (out of 311 districts)
- Penn High School: ranked #17 in the state (PHM school district)
- Discovery Middle (Grades 6-8): #3 in state (PHM school district)
- Northpoint Elementary (K-5): #3 in state (PHM school district)
- Prairie Vista Elementary (K-5): #8 in state (PHM school district)
- LaSalle Intermediate Academy (Grades K-12): #4 in state (South Bend Community Schools)