



SOVRINTENDENZA  
TAL-PATRIMONJU KULTURALI  
SUPERINTENDENCE OF CULTURAL HERITAGE

# National Inventory of the Cultural Property of the Maltese Islands

NICPMI Inv. No. 1272

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<b>Property Name</b>	Santa Agata's Chapel		
<b>Address</b>	Triq St. Agatha		
<b>Town Name</b>	Zurrieq	<b>Toponym</b>	-
		<b>Local Council</b>	Zurrieq
<b>Property Owner</b>	Religious	<b>Managing Body</b>	-
<b>Guardianship Deed</b>	-		

<b>Period</b>	Modern (16th to 20th Century AD)		
<b>Phase</b>	Modern: British (1800 - 1964)		
<b>Cultural Heritage Type &amp; Value</b>	Artistic Architectural Social	<b>Cultural Heritage Property Value Assessment</b>	High
<b>Property Function</b>	Religious	<b>Conservation Area</b>	-

<b>Outline Description</b>	St Agatha's chapel
<b>Property Description</b>	<p>The chapel, dedicated to St Agatha, is also known as "Ta' Sant'Agiti". The present chapel has replaced a 16th century chapel which was deconsecrated in 1658. In 1854, the chapel was rebuilt and reduced in sized by Cikku Grixti at the request of a woman who wished to fulfil a vow. The present church was consecrated in 1859. The chapel was enlarged and paved in 1952. The chapel has a rectangular plan. The main doorway of the chapel is reached through a roofed parvise with a rounded doorway flanked on either side with two pilasters on the facade and another on the side elevation, between which are two vertical arched slit openings. A cornice runs along the facade at roof level above which a cross is centrally placed. The main doorway is framed by a pilaster on either side which together hold a pediment. A plain structure, possibly the sacristy, is in line with the main doorway, on the left hand side.</p>

<b>Scheduled by MEPA</b>	No	<b>Degree of Protection</b>	-	<b>G.N. No.</b>	-	<b>G.N. Date</b>	-
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<b>Recommended Bibliography</b>	Guillaumier, A. 1972, <i>Bliet u Rhula Maltin</i> , Malta
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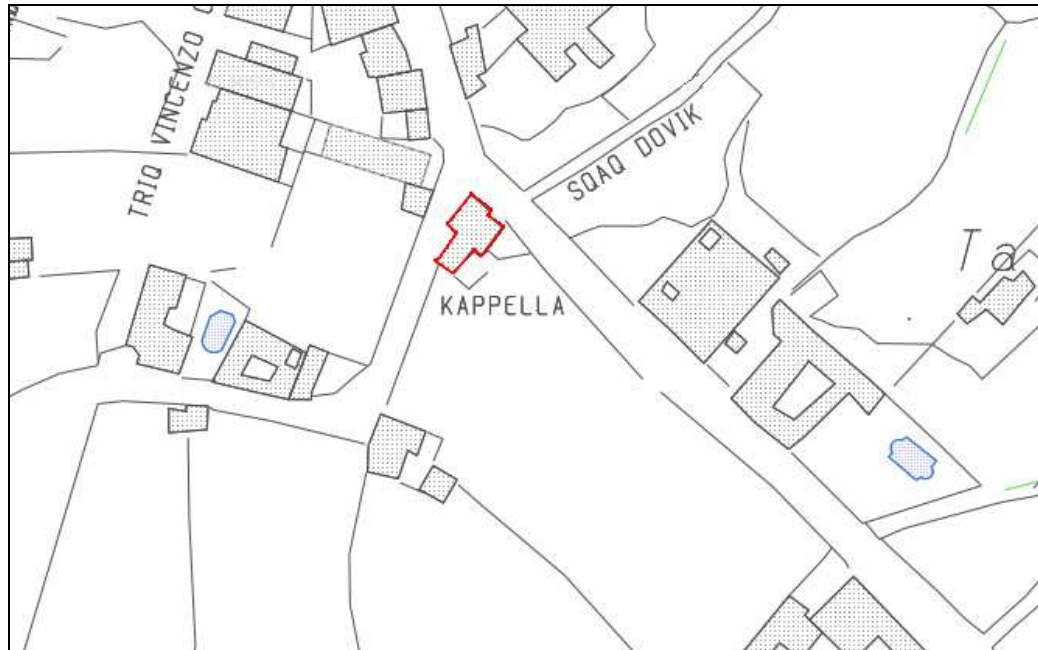
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Property Plan



Property Images

