



SOVRINTENDENZA
TAL-PATRIMONJU KULTURALI
SUPERINTENDENCE OF CULTURAL HERITAGE

National Inventory of the Cultural Property of the Maltese Islands

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| Property Name | Chapel of the Annunciation and St Joseph | | |
| Address | Triq Hal Tarxien | | |
| Town Name | Tarxien | Toponym | Local Council Tarxien |
| Property Owner | | Managing Body | Archidiocise |
| Guardianship Deed | No | | |

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| Period | Unknown | | |
| Phase | Unknown | | |
| Cultural Heritage Type & Value | Architectural Artistic Historical | Cultural Heritage Property Value Assessment | High |
| Property Function | Religious | Conservation Area | No |

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| Outline Description | <p>This chapel enjoys a double dedication: that to the Annunciation and to Saint Joseph. The building of the chapel is incorporated with the rest of the buildings in the same street.</p> |
| Property Description | <p>The west façade is elevated with the use of plinths. Entrance to the chapel is via a rectangular door that centrally pierces the façade. The door has stone mouldings and is topped with a flat rectangular hood. Directly above, the main portal there is an arched niche in which there is housed the statue of Saint Joseph carrying infant Christ in his hand. Flanking the niche, there are two large round windows that illuminate the interior of the small chapel. On the upper part of the niche, there is a bulky cornice which supports the weight of two spherical urns and a high flat pedestal on which the Cross is stationed. Behind the façade, one can see a square bell tower which houses four tiny bells.</p> |

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| Scheduled by MEPA | No | Degree of Protection | | G.N. No. | | G.N. Date | |
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| Recommended Bibliography | |
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Property Plan



Property Images

