



Bir Miftuh

GUDJA

This church, which is dedicated to the Assumption of Our Lady, was the former parish church of Gudja and other surrounding villages. It is still consecrated to this day, and Masses may be held there. It is one of the best preserved examples of medieval architecture in Malta, and dates from around 1430. It is rectangular in plan, measuring approximately 14m x 11m in width.

The remains of a fresco depicting the Last Judgement are to be found on the inside of the western facade, and a beautiful lady, thought to be the donor of this work of art is painted in the first bay of the northern wall. An 18th century painted stone altar stands underneath a panel painting of the Madonna holding Baby Jesus surrounded by angels, with God the Father holding the Cross above.

About the Venue

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A lovely garden is to be found behind the church, where outdoor receptions or events may be held. The church of Bir Miftuh is the venue for the annual Bir Miftuh International Music Festival, which has been running for over twenty years.

Capacity & Facilities

150 seated indoor concerts
150 standing reception space
outside

Kitchen Space: N/A

Toilet: N/A

Parking: Limited



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