

## Cattedrale dell'Assunta

Category: Sacred Sites

business description: The Cathedral of the Assumption stands in the old heart of the town and is reached from a picturesque Renaissance-style square of the late 15th century. Consecrated in 1067, numerous building work has modified the original Romanesque layout, which remains visible in the transept, presbytery, external volume of the tiburium and in the lower part of the bell tower. A 17th-century atrium with coupled columns frames the precious marble portal (1481) by Giovanni Antonio Pilacorte; the lunette has a bas relief dedicated to the Assumption of the Virgin Mary. The interior, with five naves, is notable for the size of the three Lombard-Romanesque-style apses which have been extremely well preserved. Underneath the presbytery and the transept is the large crypt environment. Of interest is the rectory cloister next to the church, dating from 1495, with a doorway and loggia featuring bas reliefs from the period. The sacristy is home to a precious triptych dedicated to the Vergine di Montserrat, by Bermejo.

phone: +39 (0144) 322.381 Admission fee: No other: Full price ticket €5

reduced price ticket (students up to 18 years of age) and schools €3; free up to 12 years of age and with Torino Musei Membership card

Services for the disabled: Yes

other:

Side entrance from via Barone (access to the central nave and to the aisles: not to the Triptych and not to the crypt)

Events / Special activities: Access to the Sacristy to visit the

Triptych painted by Bermejo: every day from 9 am to noon and from 4

pm to 6 pm.

## Periods opening

## Always valid

Monday: 07:00 - 12:00 / 15:00 - 18:00

Tuesday: 07:00 - 12:00 / 15:00 - 18:00

Wednesday: 07:00 - 12:00 / 15:00 - 18:00

Thursday: 07:00 - 12:00 / 15:00 - 18:00

Friday: 07:00 - 12:00 / 15:00 - 18:00

Saturday: 07:00 - 12:00 / 15:00 - 18:00

Sunday: 07:00 - 12:00 / 15:00 - 18:00

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