

1. Church Tour

Church of Cerrito del Carmen

El Cerrito del Carmen is a Catholic hermitage and a cultural site located on the top of Cerro del Carmen, in the Historic Center of Guatemala City, whose construction dates back to the 17th century, at least one hundred years before the foundation of said city. It is consecrated to the Virgen del Carmen and has been declared a cultural heritage of the nation and a Marian sanctuary. The history of Cerrito del Carmen is closely linked to that of the founding of the Guatemalan capital and has been rebuilt after the earthquakes of 1917 and 1976.

Telephone: 5161-596

Address: 1st Street and Juan Chapín Avenue, 12 Avenue, Guatemala City

Architectural style: Neoclassical architecture

Inauguration: 1613

Maps: <https://bit.ly/3qmBjSd>

More information: http://bch.muniguate.com/ar01e_el_carmen.php



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Our Lady of Mercy Parish

The temple of La Merced is, in itself, a heritage of great historical and cultural value due to its neoclassical architectural style.

Its wide walls also shelter the largest number of baroque altars and personal property from the colonial period, brought from Santiago de Guatemala at the end of the 18th century. [Centrohistorico.gt](http://centrohistorico.gt)

Phone: (502) 2251 3119

Address: 5a Calle, 11-73, Guatemala City Architectural style: Neoclassical

architecture Inauguration: 1813

Maps: <https://bit.ly/3wwVRbM>

More information: http://bch.muniguate.com/ar03la_lamerced.php



Our Lady of Guadalupe Shrine

The building of the Sanctuary of Guadalupe is one of the most recent in New Guatemala, it began to be built in 1930 and was inaugurated in 1952.

The earthquakes of 1917 and 1918 totally destroyed the structure of a first church that began to function on December 10, 1793 in Nueva Guatemala. Centrohistorico.gt

Phone: 2368-1749

Address: 1st avenue and 8th street zone 1, Guatemala City

Architectural style: Neoclassical architecture

Inauguration: 1952

Maps: <https://bit.ly/3n82TRn>

More information:

http://bch.muniguate.com/ar10santuario_guadalupe.ph



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Santa Rosa de Lima:

Inaugurated in 1787, the Santa Rosa church in Nueva Guatemala de la Asunción functioned as a cathedral from June 7, 1789, while the current Metropolitan Cathedral of Santiago was being built in the Central Plaza.

At that time, the temple of Santa Rosa fulfilled the functions of a beguinage very well, but not so those of a cathedral where liturgical and pontifical activities were carried out.

Even so, some of the images and canvases that remained in the Cathedral of Santiago de Guatemala (La Antigua) before the Santa Marta earthquakes of July 29, 1773 were sheltered within its walls.



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Metropolitan Cathedral of Santiago de Guatemala

The Holy Metropolitan Basilica Cathedral Church of Santiago de Guatemala, is a cathedral located in Guatemala City, capital of Guatemala. It is the mother church of the Archdiocese of Santiago de Guatemala and the Republic of Guatemala.

Phone: (502) 2504-6868

Address: 7a Avenida 6-73. Cdad. of Guatemala

Architectural style: Neoclassical architecture

Inauguration: 1871

Maps: <https://bit.ly/30aP9Mj>

Más información: <http://bch.muniguate.com/ar12catedral.php>



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Basilica of Our Lady of the Rosary, Guatemala

Located in the Historic Center of the Guatemalan capital, built between 1778 and 1797, the Temple of Santo Domingo is one of the most outstanding architectural works of the new Guatemala of the Asunción.

Almost two centuries after that moment, on September 27, 1970, on the occasion of the celebration of the eighth centenary of the birth of Santo Domingo de Guzmán, founder of the order of preachers, the consecration of the temple and elevation to the rank of basilica took place., which was authorized by means of an apostolic brief from the Congregation for Divine Worship and confirmed by His Holiness Paul VI on November 22, 1969.

Phone: 2502-2727

Address: 12th avenue and 10th street, zone 1, Guatemala City

Architectural style: Neoclassical architecture

Inauguration: 1808

Maps: <https://bit.ly/3D5vA6l>

More information: http://bch.muniguate.com/ar04santo_domingo.php



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Yuritia church

The Yurrita Church, also known as Our Lady of Sorrows Church, is an ancient and iconic construction that is located within Guatemala City. What stands out most about this architectural work is its façade.

This Catholic temple was built approximately between 1927 and 1941. The initiative to build this church came from Felipe Yurrita, originally from Spain. Some stories of the oral tradition point out that what motivated the Spanish to build the church was to fulfill a promise.

Phone: 2360-7920

Address: Route 6, 8-52, zone 4, Guatemala City Architectural style: Gothic
architecture Inauguration: 1941

Maps: <https://bit.ly/3FOOyMn>

More information: <https://bit.ly/3F2wQbc>

