



# project profile

## Project

Our Lady of Tá Pinu  
Gozo, Malta

## System

Grasscrete GC2

## Quantity

2,600 m<sup>2</sup>

## Application

Parking



The Basilica of the Blessed Virgin Mary of Tá Pinu, in Gozo is a national shrine first consecrated in 1932 after 12 years of construction. Standing on the site of former churches dating back to the 16th century, the latest structure has been built in a Neo-Roman style and has become a popular site for pilgrims as well as having so far received two Papal visits.

In 2014, work began on the construction of a new courtyard entrance featuring curved outer walls decorated with biblical mosaics. To cater for visitors a car park was also built across the road from the Basilica. Formed on two levels the car park was constructed using Grasscrete GC2 (150mm thick) paving, so as to offer low-level of visual intrusion as well providing the environmental benefits of a permeable paving, eliminating the need for major on and offsite drainage works.