

Discover the Magnificent Cathedral

Dating from 1711, the ancient church, the Igreja de Nossa Senhora da Conceição do Colégio dos Jesuitas, is still one of the most recent in the whole of Portugal. The exterior is handsome and imposing, looking out over the square, while the interior boasts a baroque influence with ornate marble, gilded altars and magnificent painted ceiling.



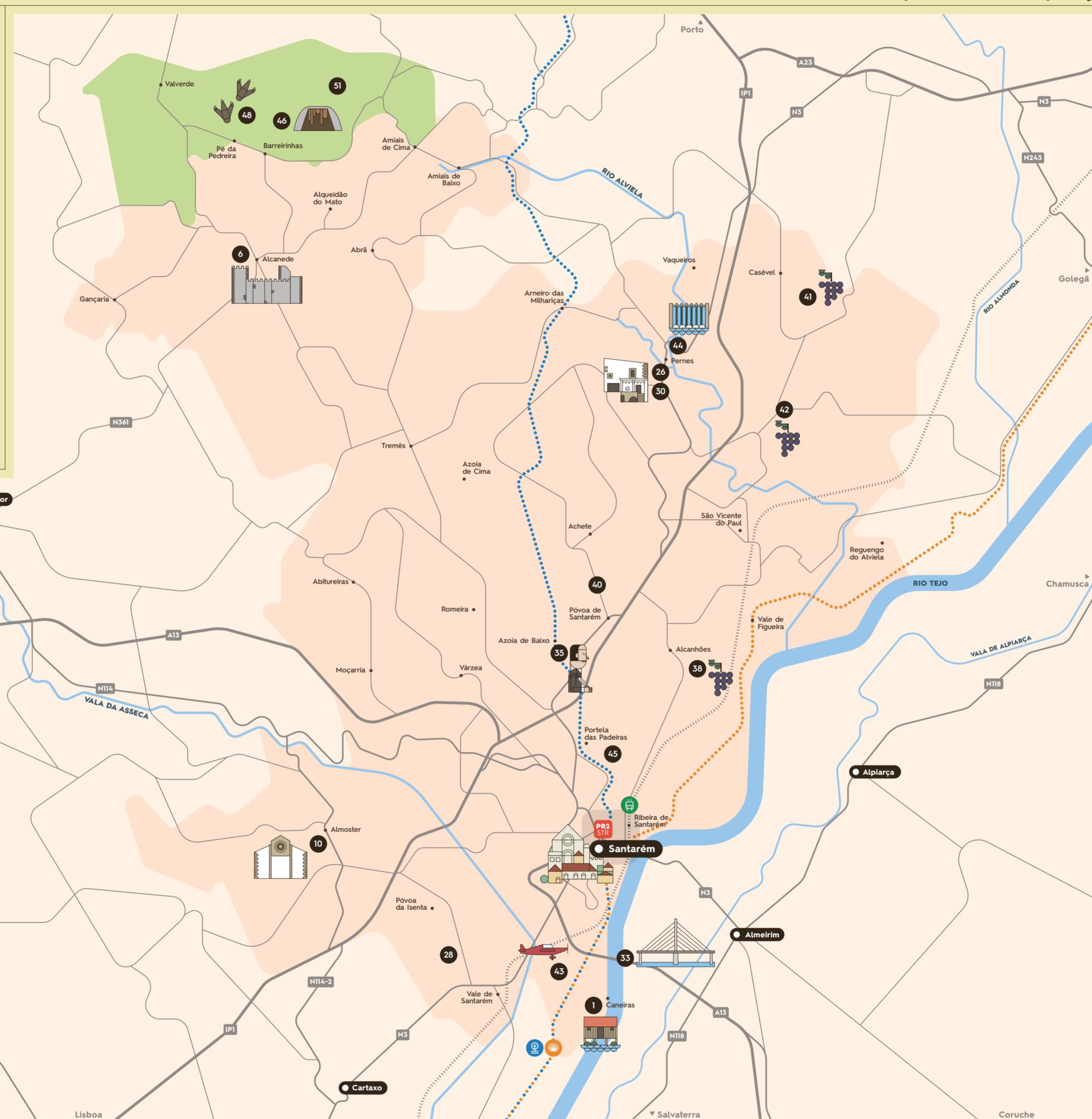
Santarém



- Municipality Headquarters
- Place Name
- Rivers and Valas (streams)
- Motorway (A)
- National Road (N)
- Local Road
- Railway Track
- ♀ Caminhos de Fátima (Fátima Way)
- ☀ Caminhos de Santiago (Way of Saint James)

Walking Trails of the Lézira do Tejo

PR2 STR From Santarém to the River Tagus
Start Point Jardim da República
Distance: 6.2 km



Map of the Municipality

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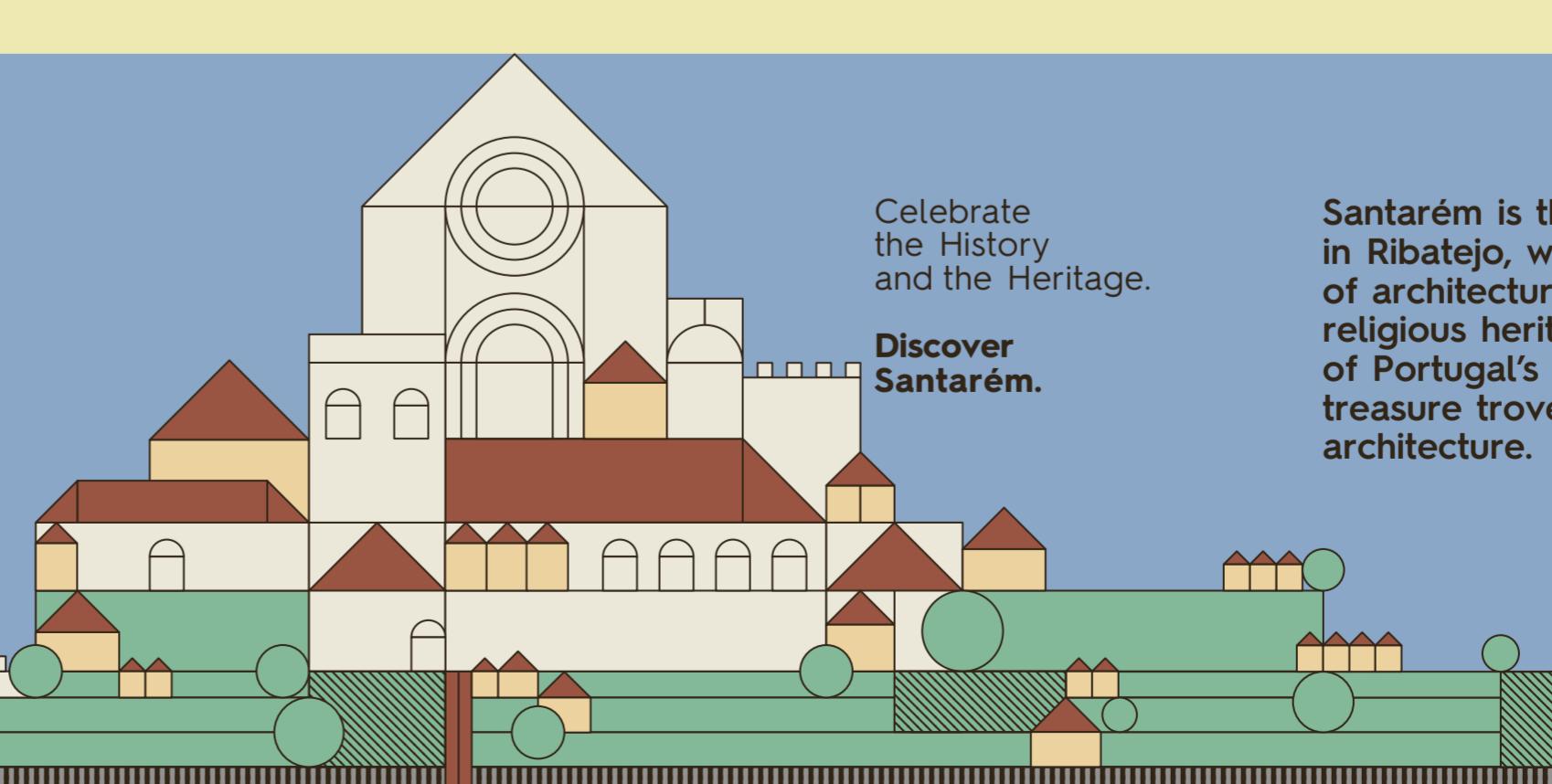
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- A Glorious Heritage and Faith**
- 1 Aveiro Village of Caneiras Caneiras
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 - 10 Convent of Almôster Largo do Mosteiro 2025-111 Almôster tel: +351 243 491 404
 - 26 Manueline Mill Rua General Humberto Delgado 2000-495 Pernes
 - 28 Museu do Campo Fernando Peralta (agricultural museum) Rua José Júlio Silva Delgado, 100 2005-085 Póvoa da Isenta tel: +351 243 769 298
 - 30 Memória Museum Rua General Humberto Delgado 2000-495 Pernes tel: +351 243 449 197
 - 33 Salgueiro Maia Bridge
 - 35 Quinta Vale de Lobos Quinta de Vale de Lobos 2005-097 Azoia de Baixo tel: +351 243 429 264
- Wonderful Wine & Rural Icons**
- 38 Adega Cooperativa de Alcanhões (wine cooperative) Adega de Alcanhões 2000-371 Alcanhões tel: +351 243 429 151
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 - 41 Quinta do Arrobe Várzea de Baixo 2000-460 Caselvél tel: +351 919 765 346
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- Relaxing in the Great Outdoors**
- 43 Aerodrome Estrada das Caneiras 2000-474 Santarém tel: +351 914 113 816
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 - 45 Water Park Jardim de Cima 2005-444 Santarém tel: +351 243 300 900
 - 46 Gruta do Algar do Pena (grotto), Interpretation Centre Parque Natural das Serras de Aire e Candeeiros Alcanede tel: +351 243 400 630
 - 48 Jazida de Vale de Meios Alcanede
 - 51 Serras de Aire e Candeeiros Nature Park

It's also a cultural centre and so a great place to start your journey through Ribatejo.

Celebrate the History and the Heritage.

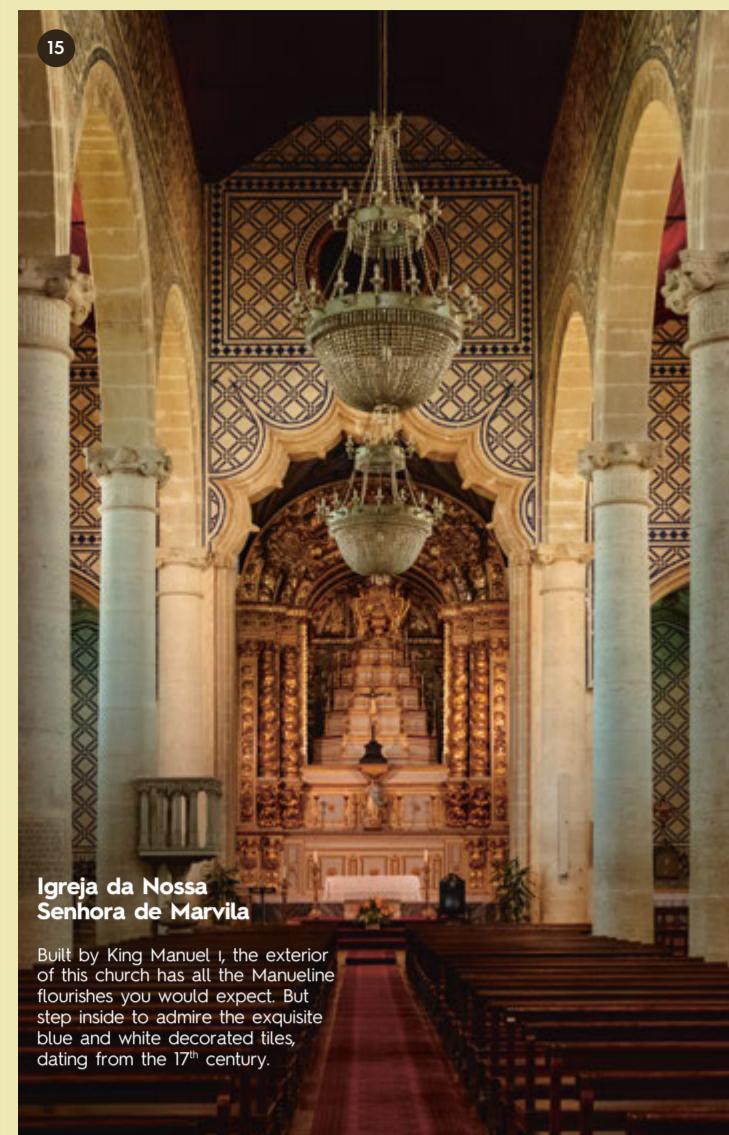
Discover Santarém.

Santarém is the largest city in Ribatejo, with a wealth of architectural and religious heritage. It is one of Portugal's greatest treasure troves of Gothic architecture.



Welcome to Santarém

Explore the culture, the heritage and the history of a great city



Igreja da Nossa Senhora de Marvila

Built by King Manuel I, the exterior of this church has all the Manueline flourishes you would expect. But step inside to admire the exquisite blue and white decorated tiles, dating from the 15th century.



Diocesan Museum

Here you'll find a vast collection of religious sculpture, artworks and decorative tiles. It's an important, and valuable, collection of religious art going back to the 13th century and housed in a magnificent building. A visit really enhances the visitor's understanding of Santarém in terms of its cultural importance and its evolution.



Igreja da Misericórdia

Constructed in the 16th century, this church has a lovely Renaissance interior featuring tall elegantly decorated columns, large paintings and a high altar. It's quite different from the baroque exterior which was rebuilt after an earthquake in 1755.



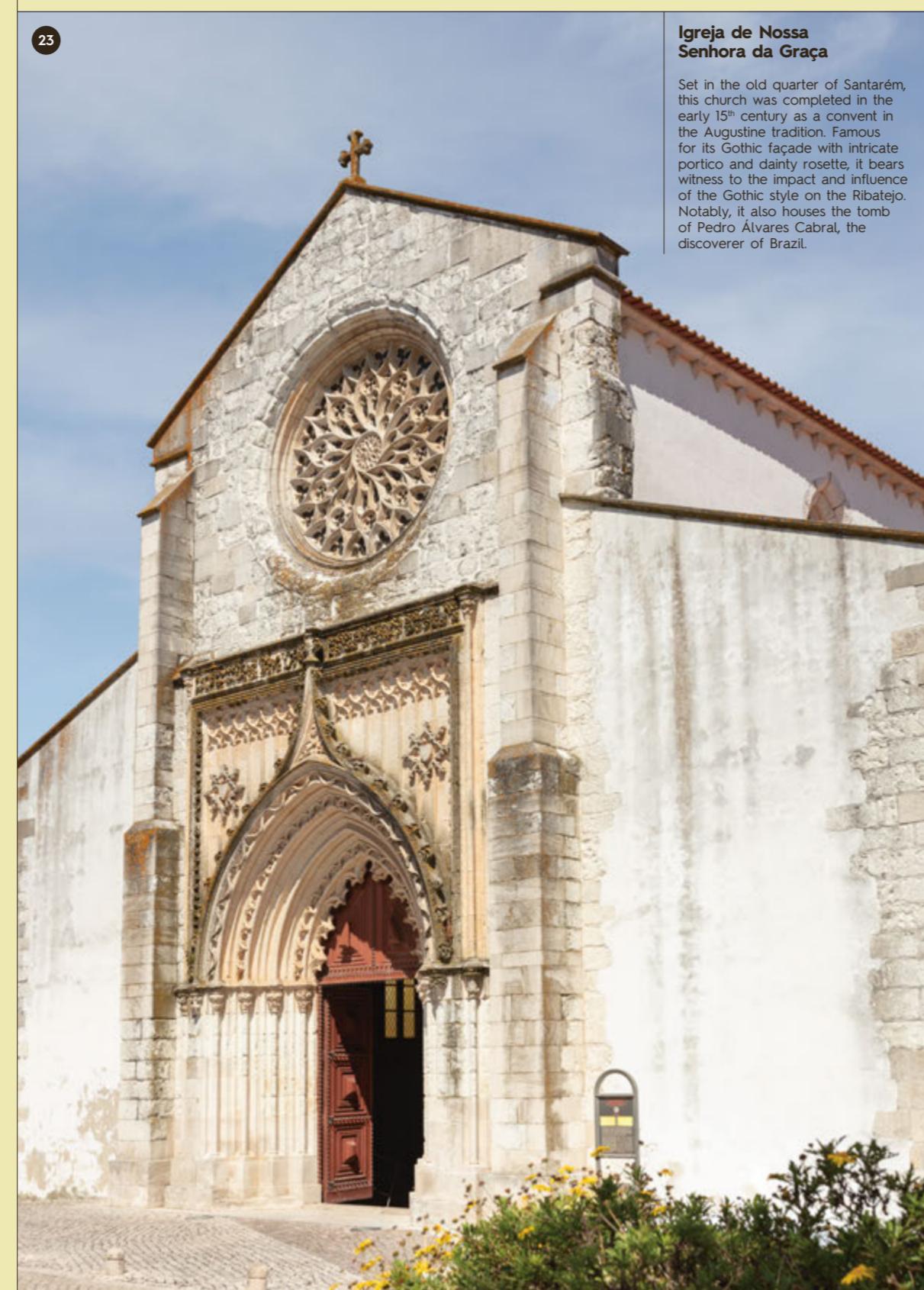
Igreja de Santa Clara

Dating from 1259, this is the largest Gothic cathedral in Santarém and was built by King Afonso III. Remodelled in the early 17th century, the shape was altered but the most distinctive architectural feature remains the stunning Gothic rose window that illuminates the austere but elegant interior.



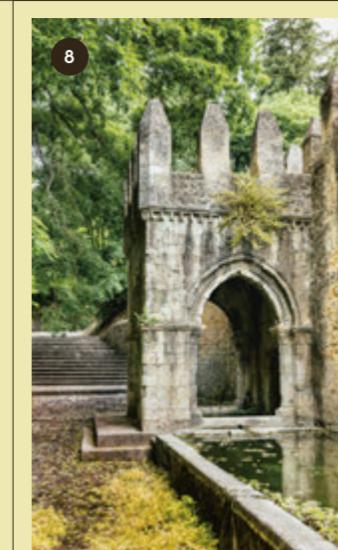
Torre das Cabaças and Núcleo Museológico do Tempo

One of the iconic sights of Santarém, the old clock tower has stood since the 15th century. Standing at 22 metres high, the tower takes its name from the eight clay calabashes, or gourds, placed on the structure which supports the heavy bronze bell. The tower also hosts the Museum of Time which has interesting displays relating to the concept of time.



Igreja de Nossa Senhora da Graça

Set in the old quarter of Santarém, this church was completed in the early 15th century as a convent in the Gothic tradition. Famous for its Gothic facade with intricate portico and dainty rosette, it bears witness to the impact and influence of the Gothic style on the Ribatejo. Notably, it also houses the tomb of Pedro Álvares Cabral, the discoverer of Brazil.



Chafariz das Figueiras

The Fountain of the Fig Trees is definitely somewhere to pause a moment and rest – as thirsty travellers have done for several centuries before entering the city. One of the rare examples of Gothic civil architecture in Portugal, it was constructed in the 14th century in the form of a stone canopy, three arches and with water spouting from the city wall.



Tomb of Pedro Álvares Cabral

The famous explorer who discovered Brazil in 1500 spent his final years in Santarém and is buried here. Cabral's tomb lies in an elegant side chapel of the Igreja de Nossa Senhora da Graça under a simple slab with Gothic inscription.



Magusto com Bacalhau Assado

Originating from Santarém, this dish took advantage of left-over greens and bread, combining them with potatoes and olive and garlic to create a tasty, hearty dish, roasted in the embers with cod.



Pombinhos

These Pombinhos de Santarém (doves), are made with sweetened flour and have a flavour somewhere between bread and conventional cake.

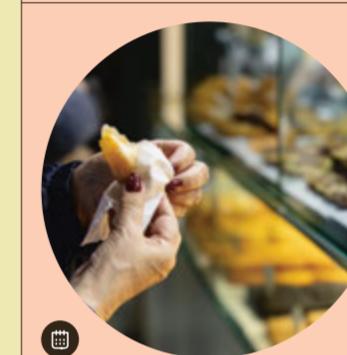
Traditionally associated with Pentecost, they were given out to the poor and needy.



Pampilhos e os Celestes de Santa Clara

Two Santarém classics, Pampilhos were inspired by the long lances used by campinos to guide the cattle. The thin sponge cake is carefully rolled and filled with a sumptuous sweet cinnamon cream.

The Celestes were a convent creation, according to legend a gift from the angels to the nuns as a reward for their faith.



National Gastronomy Festival

Taking place in the autumn, this national event celebrates Portuguese regional gastronomy. As the host, the produce and culinary traditions of Ribatejo are showcased in all their glory. It's a true celebration with foodie workshops, wine tastings, banquets, talks by celebrities of the gastronomic world and special events.

Of course, music and dance play a large part in ensuring a suitably lively atmosphere to accompany the best of Portuguese gastronomy.



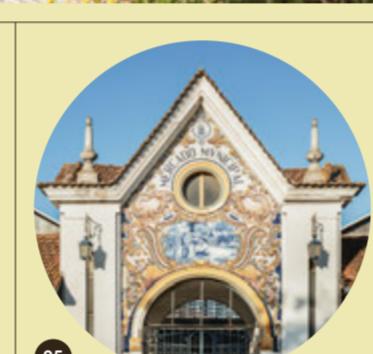
Arrepiado de Almôster

A delicious combination of almonds, sugar, cinnamon and egg whites, these crunchy, brittle treats are not to be missed.



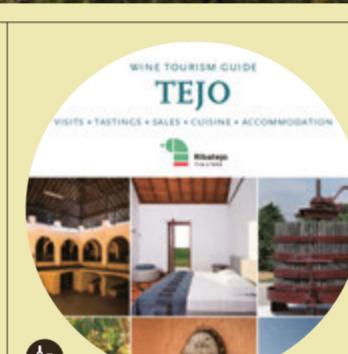
Igreja de Santo Estêvão, Santuário do Santíssimo Milagre

Tucked away in the oldest part of Santarém, this church offers original Gothic arches and later baroque embellishments. But it's the Most Holy Miracle of Santarém which occurred in around 1250, which has ensured religious fervour and a stream of visitors ever since.



Municipal Market

Dating back to 1928 the market is decorated with over 60 large ceramic tiles depicting rural scenes. Step inside for a barrage of colour, a huge array of produce and a real sense of bustle.



Tejo Wines

Check out the Tejo Wine Tourism Guide that lists the wine producers and farmsteads of Santarém and Ribatejo, together with their wine-related activities.



The Flavours of Ribatejo

Discover the flavours of Santarém in the Guide to Leziria do Tejo Certified Restaurants.

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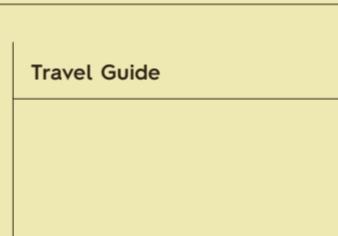
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Santarém

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1 Capela de Nossa Senhora do Monte (B1)
Rua Senhora do Monte
2005-180 Santarém

2 Casa do Brasil, Pedro Álvares Cabral (C3)
Rua Vila da Belmonte, 13-15
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3 Casa-Museu Anselmo Braamcamp Freire (D3)
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4 Casa-Museu Passos Canavarro (D4)
Largo da Alcaçova, 1
2000-102 Santarém
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5 Santarém Cathedral (C2)
Praça da Bandeira
2000-135 Santarém
tel: +351 243 304 060

6 Figueiras Fountain (B3)
Calçada das Figueiras

7 Palhaço Fountain (B5)
Rua Direita de Palhais

8 São Francisco Convent (B2)
Rua 31 de Janeiro
2005-188 Santarém

9 Ermida do Milagre (D3)
Rua das Esteras, 22
2000-074 Santarém

10 Igreja da Misericórdia (D3)
Rua 1º de Dezembro
2000-096 Santarém

11 Igreja de Nossa Senhora da Piedade (C2)
Praça da Bandeira
2005-244 Santarém

12 Igreja de Nossa Senhora de Marvila (C3)
Praça Visconde Serra do Pilar
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13 Igreja de Santa Clara (C4)
Avenida Gago Coutinho
Sacadura Cabral
2005-201 Santarém

14 Igreja de Santa Cruz (C4)
Beco de Santa Cruz
2000-579 Santa Iria
da Ribeira de Santarém

15 Igreja de Santa Maria de Alcâcova (D4)
Largo da Alcâcova
2000-110 Santarém

16 Igreja de Santa Clara (B3)
Avenida Gago Coutinho
Sacadura Cabral
2005-201 Santarém

17 Igreja de Santa Cruz (C4)
Beco de Santa Cruz
2000-579 Santa Iria
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18 Igreja de Santa Iria (C5)
Largo da Santa Iria
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19 Igreja de Santa Maria de Alcâcova (D4)
Largo da Alcâcova
2000-110 Santarém

20 Igreja de Santo Estêvão, Santuário do Santíssimo Milagre (D3)
Largo do Milagre
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21 Igreja de São João de Alporão and Núcleo Museológico de Arte e Arqueologia (C4)
Largo Zefiro Sarmento
2000-121 Santarém

22 Igreja de São Nicolau (D2)
Largo Ramiro Nobre
2000-052 Santarém

23 Igreja de Nossa Senhora da Graça (D3)
Largo Pedro Álvares Cabral
2000-091 Santarém

24 Igreja do Hospital de Jesus Cristo (D2)
Largo Cláudio dos Reis
2000-241 Santarém
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25 Municipal Market (B2)
Rua Cidade da Covilhã, 10
2005-188 Santarém

26 Diocesan Museum (C2)
Praça Sá da Bandeira
2000-135 Santarém
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27 Ribeira de Santarém Ethnographic Museum (C5)
Travessa da Portagem
2000-608 Santa Iria da Ribeira de Santarém
tel: +351 914 142 053

28 Santa Iria Monument (C5)
Ribeira de Santarém

29 Dom Luís Bridge (D5)
Estrada Nacional 114

30 Santiago Door (C4)

31 Urbi Scalabis Interpretation Centre (D4)
Jardim Portas do Sol

32 Praça de Toiros (bull ring) and Forcaldo Museum (E1)
Campo Emílio Infante da Câmara
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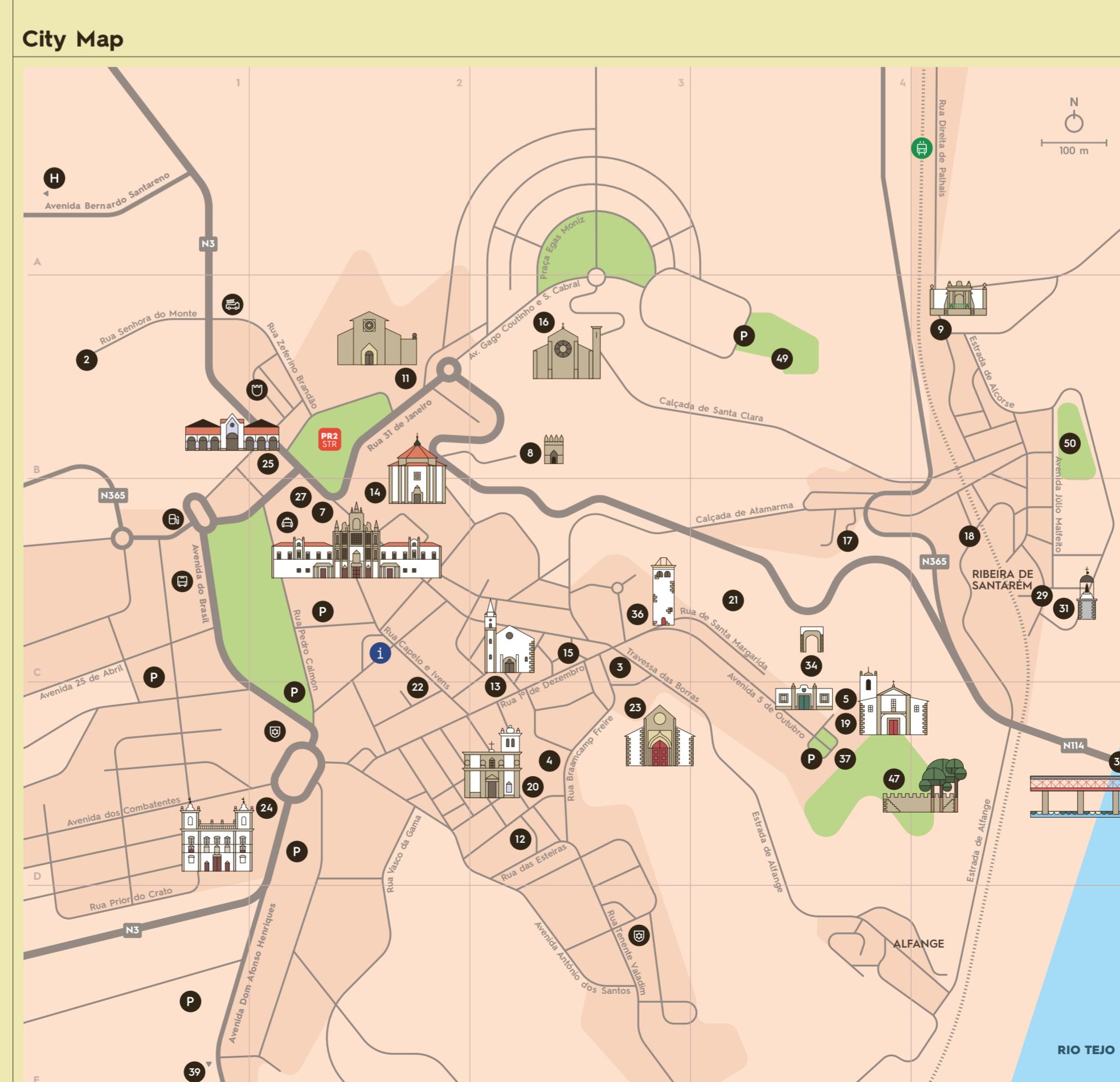
34 Relaxing in the Great Outdoors

35 Portas do Sol Garden and Viewpoint (D4)
Largo da Alcâcova
2000-110

36 São Bento Viewpoint (B4)
Rua Dona Maria Inês Schaller Dias
2005-191 Santarém

37 Ribeira Leisure Park (B5)

City Map



Useful Information



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3 District Hospital

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4 GNR (National Republican Guard)

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