

ANNOUNCEMENTS for the 18th SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME

Good morning and welcome to our guests and visitors.

1. Thanks to Emmanuel, our cantor and organist, for the fine music today. As we move forward, we will gradually add to our music and provide opportunities for the congregation to sing.
2. We are delighted to announce that our fundraising effort to repair the doors of the church in Santiago has received a big boost. A group from our community has come together with a pledge to match up to €7,000 in donations. Every euro donated between now and the start of Advent on December 1st will be matched euro for euro by these members, who will remain anonymous. This is an incredibly generous offer and we encourage all members of the community to contribute to this effort. Your donation will effectively be doubled! Our goal is to raise enough money to repair the main and side doors of the church. Your generosity is greatly appreciated! Please see me or the parish office after Mass if you wish to contribute by bank transfer.
3. These announcements are posted to the English community of the Parish on WhatsApp and to our Facebook group, the English Community - Tavira Parish. If you are not already part of these groups, please see me after Mass. There is important parish and diocesan information posted regularly in the group.