

Site: Caiaphas House (Saint Peter's in Gallicantu: place of the cock crow)

Scripture References: Matthew 26:57-63; John 18:15-18, 25-27

Historical Significance:

1. Home of Caiaphas the High Priest.
2. The location where Peter denied Jesus 3 times before the rooster crowed.
3. Church was built in 1931 over the site where the original palace of Caiaphas stood.

Things to look for:

1. Basement area where Jesus may have been held during the night before appearing before Pilate.
2. Courtyard area where Peter was probably warming himself by a fire and was confronted about being one of Jesus' followers.
3. Representation of Peter sitting by fire before he denied Jesus.

What does this site teach us about God?

1. We may fail Jesus but he is always ready to forgive.