



ITALY – MONOPOLI

CATHEDRAL OF MONOPOLI



Monopoli is a city located in Puglia, in the south of Italy. The Cathedral of Monopoli, called “Basilica di Santa Maria della Madia” is a famous church in the old town.

In this Cathedral there is a famous picture of Madonna della Madia, who is the saint protector of the city.

The picture arrived in Monopoli’s port on a raft on 16th December 1117 and every year in this date the city celebrates the arrival of “Madonna della Madia” and children are happy because school is closed.

The Cathedral is very nice and characteristic and it is worth visiting.