

Lunch in Portovenere

Deciding where to eat in Portovenere is never easy. There are lots of great looking places along the waterfront.



We wandered up to the church on the point to see the gorgeous view.



My favourite little fishing boat was in its usual place.



There are also some interesting places in the street above the harbour.



Take a close look at the ledge. There are some old coins corroding there.



The restaurant is right at the end of the point where the boats pass on their way to Cinque Terre.

Directly below the church we spotted Le Bocche. It looked too good to pass by.

Lunch was delicious.





Brand new figs are on the trees.



There are always lots of seaside souvenirs to buy.



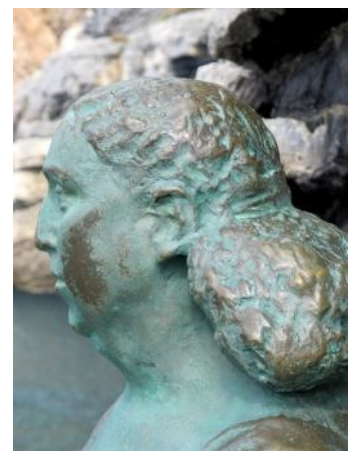
Even the pigeons are relaxed here.



The day was overcast and a bit dull when we arrived, but steadily improved. By the time we left the water was sparkling in the sun.



And the Signora is still waiting for her ship to come in.



It is good to know that some things don't change.

Portovenere is just south of the Cinque Terre, 11 kilometres from La Spezia, and in the summer season there are boats between the towns.

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