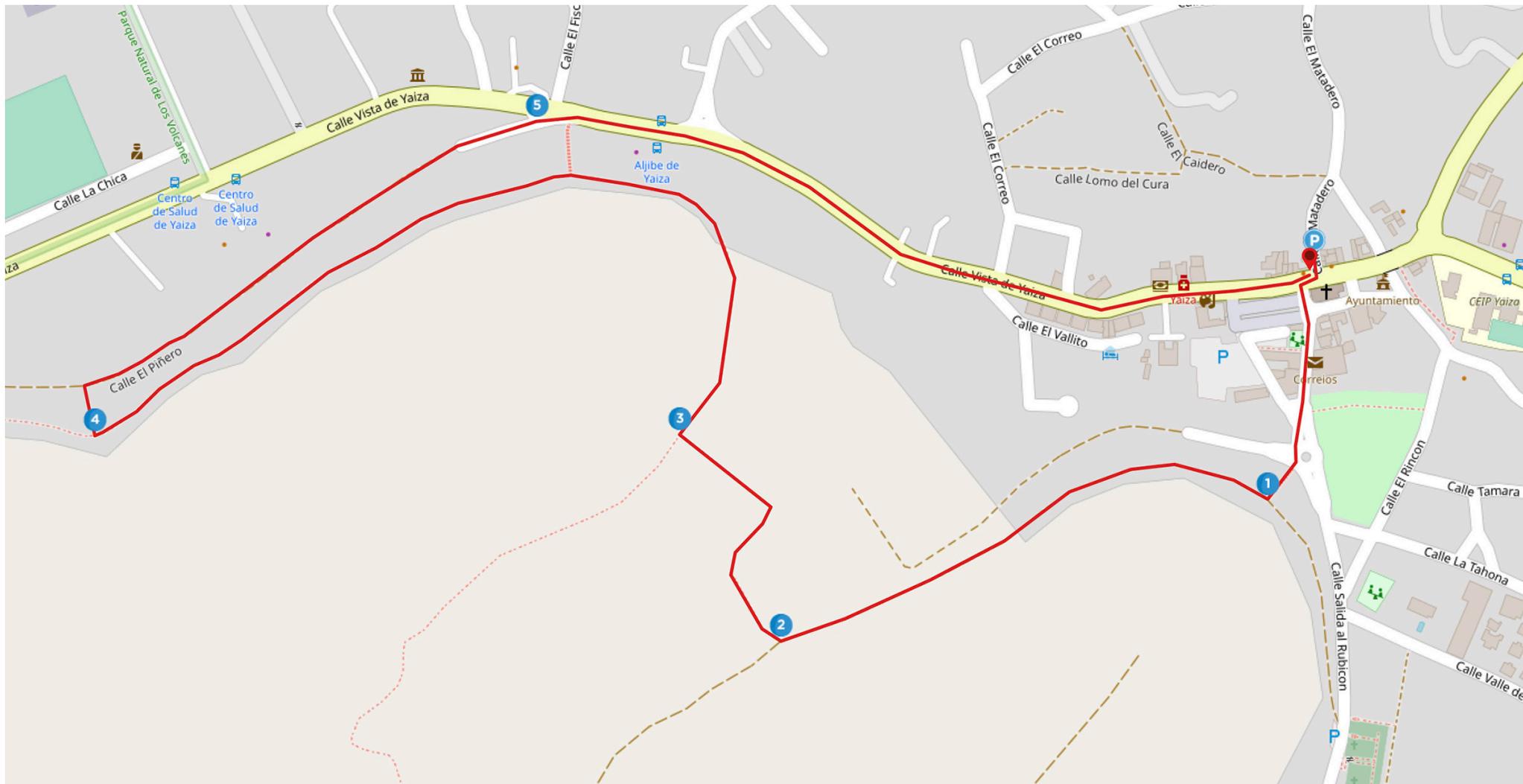


Yaiza

Distance - 3¼ km (2¼ miles) Ascent: 55m (181ft)

Walk 14



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Yaiza

Distance - 3¼ km (2¼ miles) Ascent: 55m (181ft)

Walk 14

A short, easy, stroll on a broad gravel track across the hillside above the substantial village of Yaiza, contouring across the lower slopes of Montana Cinta (441m - 1447ft), above two sets of volcanic gardens, planted by the municipality in the early 1990's. Between the gardens there is a connecting link on a path across an area of little fields and neglected plots and a return by the side of the road through the village. There are views over Yaiza towards the volcanic mountains of Timanfaya.

Start/car parking:

Roadside spaces close to the church or to the supermarket, both on the main road through Yaiza. There is a bus service from Arrecife to Yaiza.

Refreshments:

El Campo bar/restaurant

WALK

Head south from the church, passing a children's play area on the right, the post office on the left and the Los Remedios restaurant on the right. At a wide road junction go straight across to a stone stairway rising through the volcanic gardens.

1. Turn right at the top to walk along a wide gravelled track, above the top edge of the gardens, planted with native Lanzarote shrubs. The views are over Yaiza to the volcanic mountains of the Timanfaya National Park. After passing the end of the gardens continue along the broad track.

2. As the main track ascends to the left, bear right to follow a clear path along a low embankment. The path is always evident as it meanders across this area, divided into little fields, with a fine row of prickly pears to the left.

3. Rise to join a broader track, turning right, soon along the top of another low embankment before reaching the second set of volcanic gardens, where the track again becomes broad and manicured. Pass above the El Campo bar/restaurant (*a set of steps here can be used to shorten the walk*). The sea is in view ahead. Pass above an area planted with small trees.

4. At a junction opposite the sports stadium turn right to descend a fairly steep stony track. Turn right at the bottom to follow a dirt roadway, passing a few outlying houses. Reach tarmac and join the main road through the village in 60m. The El Campo bar/restaurant is opposite.

5. Bear right along the roadside pavement, passing the monument commemorating the creation of the gardens in June 1991. Pass the Galeria Yaiza as the road rises steadily back to the church.

Note: It would be a great help to future walkers if you could record any inaccuracies you come across during this walk and report them to reception so that appropriate amendments can be made. Thank you for your help. *Happy walking.*