



Other Walks

At the southwest corner of the Anglican church, walk up Templeman and left on Urrutia. Just past the El Desayunador cafe on the left is a barely perceptible promenade, called Dimalow. Halfway down the esplanade, you will encounter one of the **best viewpoints** in Valparaíso, a truly spectacular vista of the bay, the tall steeple of the Lutheran church, and the colorful, tumbledown homes clinging to the hills. Bring your camera. The Queen Victoria Funicular is here, and you can ride it down to Cumming Street, head left 1 block to the Plaza Aníbal Pinto, then down Esmeralda until reaching the Plaza Sotomayor.

The coastline of Valparaíso, accessible at Muelle Barón (parking 50¢/35p for 30 min.), has an attractive jogging/walking path that hugs the shoreline, offering splendid views for visitors seeking a little exercise. Also at Muelle Barón is **Puerto Deportivo** (☎ 32/259-2852; www.puertodeportivo.cl), which offers kayak rental for \$7 (£4.70) for a half-hour, which includes gear, kayak, and use of their showers.

THE PORT NEIGHBORHOOD Begin at the **Customs House (Aduana)**, the grand, colonial American-style building built in 1854 and at the north of town at Plaza Wheelwright at the end of Cochrane and Calle Carampangue. To the right, you'll find the