

City Garden in Gateway Mall on the Ten Toe Express

TOTAL WALK DISTANCE: 1 - 2.25 miles

City Garden is the new landscaped sculpture garden in downtown St. Louis, attracting curious and playful participants of all ages. It fills two blocks within the Gateway Mall - not a shopping center, but a greenspace through the middle of the city from the Old Courthouse to Union Station. The Mall is the site for parades and festivals, ideal for pedestrian activities, and contains public art throughout. Food vendors and restaurants are available. These two walks acquaint you with many of the attractions here.

Directions:

- Exit MetroLink at 8th & Pine. Turn left on 8th and walk one block south to the Mall.
- Turn right on Chestnut at City Garden next to the Terrace View Cafe. (Brochures about the art in City Garden can be found in the little boxes on posts.)
- Follow Chestnut three blocks west to 11th St to view Richard Serra's "Twain".
- Turn left on 11th. The art deco facade of the Civil Courts building is on your right.
- Turn left on Market St. walking toward the Old Courthouse. The Old Courthouse, a National Park site, contains notable 19th century art and free exhibits about St Louis history.
- Turn left on Broadway and then left on Chestnut, walking around the portion of the Mall known as Kiener Plaza.

 The statue of "The Runner" honors Harry Kiener, a local participant in the Olympics of 1904.
- Return to MetroLink to complete a 1-mile loop.

To increase your steps:

• When walking west on Chestnut, continue past the Civil Courts to 20th Street. You will pass Union Station and the fountain "The Meeting of the Waters" by Carl Milles at Aloe Plaza. Walk to the Old Courthouse and return to MetroLink to complete 2.25 miles.

New restaurants to try:

Terrace View Cafe overlooking City Garden, Gio's Ristorante overlooking Kiener Plaza

