



Spring Lake Village

Your life, better.

Location: Santa Rosa, California

Opened: 1986 – The fourth of Episcopal Senior Communities’ six Continuing Care Retirement Communities. The Rev. Darby Wood Betts oversaw its design and construction and he and his wife, Elaine, made it their retirement home. Several pioneer residents, who began residency in 1986, still call Spring Lake Village home – including Elaine Betts.

Accommodations: More than 325 apartment homes and cottages clustered around 30 acres of beautifully landscaped gardens, including 62 new accommodations in the West Grove. The community is situated across from the tranquil walking trails of Spring Lake and the 5,000-acre Annadel State Park in Sonoma County’s Valley of the Moon.

Accommodations & Services: All levels of care, including a health center with skilled nursing, physician visits, Maggie’s Place for memory care, rehabilitation therapy, assisted living and independent living.

Of Note: The Chapel of the Resurrection altar features four iron vines holding up the hand-hewn wooden top. Beneath the vine’s iron grapes and wheat are entwined the Alpha and Omega, the first and last letters of the Greek alphabet, symbolizing God as the beginning and the end.

Spring Lake Village recently completed a major refurbishment of the campus, including a new Montgomery Center auditorium and fitness center (featuring a salt-water swimming pool), expansion of the theater and art room, drought-resistant landscaping and more.

The stained-glass Burbank Windows that grace the Village Center Atrium depict famed horticulturist Luther Burbank’s most noted creations. Burbank’s words perfectly describe the community setting:

“I firmly believe, from what I have seen, that this is the chosen spot of all this as far as Nature is concerned, and the people are far better than the average.” – Luther Burbank, 1875