

DIRECTIONS TO DAYSPRING

From Interstate 75, take exit 224 (Ellenton - Palmetto exit). At the bottom of the ramp, turn left onto U.S. Highway 301 North (East).

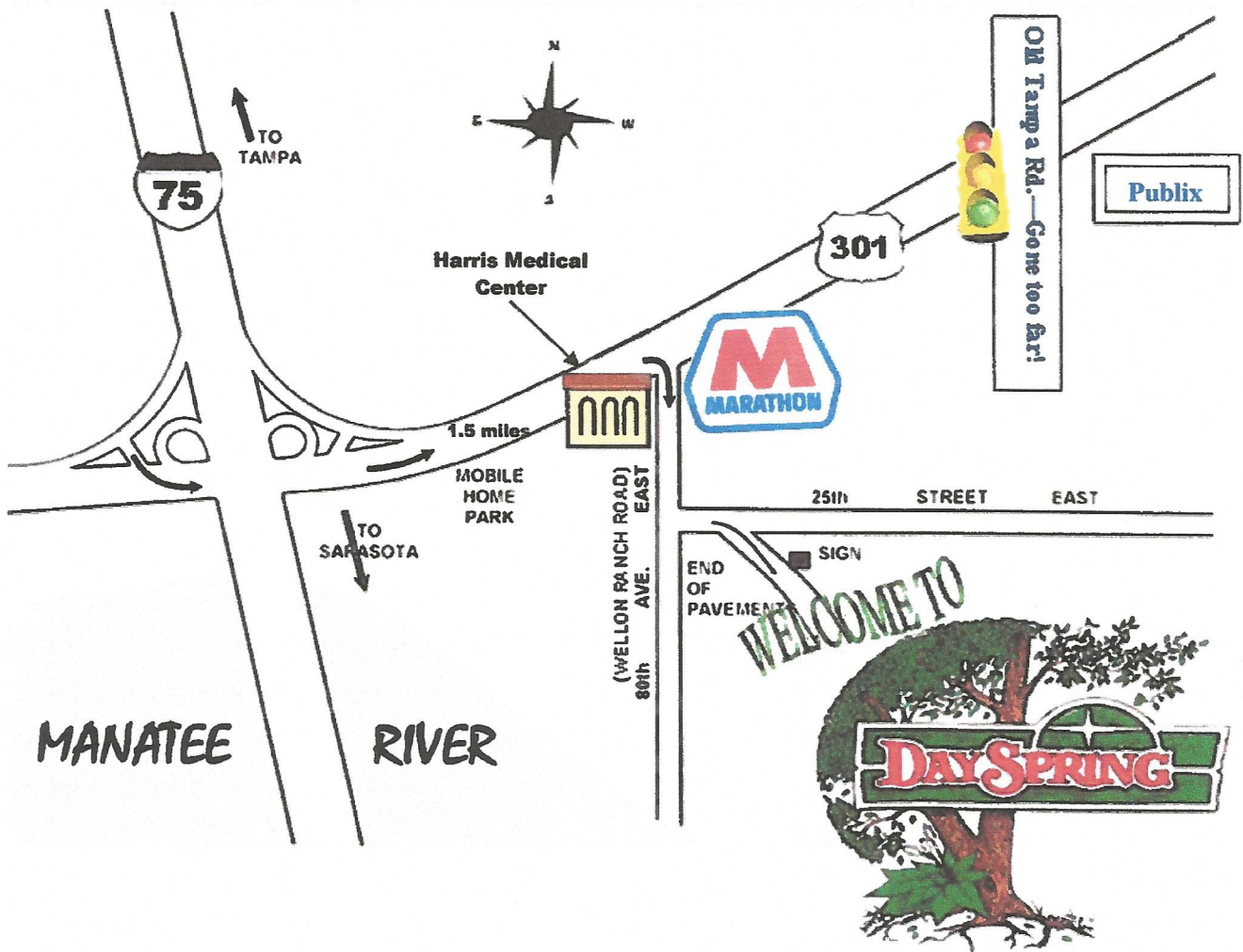
Go approximately 1.5 miles and look for the Harris Medical Center on the right. Turn right on 80th Ave East (AKA Wellon Ranch Rd.), located between the Harris Medical Center and the Marathon Gas Station.

Take the second left which is 25th Street East. Take an immediate right into Dayspring. **DO NOT** stop at the first building as you enter DaySpring. Go forward another 2/10 of a mile until you see the office building on the right.

Welcome to Dayspring!

IF YOU'VE REACHED THE PUBLIX ON THE RIGHT, YOU'VE GONE TOO FAR

*****PLEASE DO NOT USE THE DIRECTIONS FOUND ON GOOGLE MAPQUEST OR OTHER ONLINE SOURCES. PLEASE USE OUR WEBSITE www.dayspringfla.org**



80th Ave. (East Wellon Ranch Road)

25th Street East

- 1-6 Cabins
- (A) Pavilion A
- (B) Pavilion B
- (C) Bishop Haynes Lounge
- (D) Bishop Haynes Meeting Room
- (E) Upper Room





DaySpring Episcopal Conference Center

The Episcopal Diocese of Southwest Florida

GENERAL INFORMATION – DAY ONLY RETREATS

- ASSISTANCE:** Staff is available throughout your stay. If there is an emergency, call 911, then dial "0" as soon as possible. Telephones are located in sleeping quarters, meeting rooms, Bishop Haynes Lounge and Curry Hall.
- MEETING ROOMS:** **At check-in**, keys to the meeting room(s) will be issued to the group leader or designee. **The key is to be returned to the Front Desk** upon departure.
(NOTE: No open flame candles are allowed anywhere on campus other than as designated for the St. Thomas Chapel. This includes luminaries.)
- MEALS:** **All meals are served in Curry Hall Dining Room.** Meal times and table assignments will be scheduled for your group in advance. **We ask that you please be prompt and arrive as a group** to ensure the quality of your meal. **No food should be removed from the dining room or brought in from outside sources.** Special dietary needs should be addressed with the Reservations Office prior to your visit.
- FOOD WASTE:** To assist us in keeping food costs down, we ask that you encourage your group to not overindulge when going through the buffet line. Guests are welcome to go back through the line for "seconds".
- ATTIRE:** We request that appropriate attire be worn while at DaySpring. Footwear and appropriate attire (no bathing suits, pajamas, etc.) is required when guests are on the deck of Curry Hall or entering the Curry Hall dining room.
- CHAPEL:** Times for the St. Thomas Chapel and the Outdoor Chapel by the river should be scheduled through the Reservations Office prior to your visit. **No open flame candles are allowed other than the large altar candles in the St. Thomas Chapel.**
- AMENITIES:** Use of the canoes/kayaks, chapels, campfire pit and ropes course should be scheduled with the Reservations Office. Canoes may be reserved for use between 9:00am and 5:00pm. Guests must be 18 years or older and have a valid driver's license or state ID to complete a canoe waiver. Minors must be accompanied by an adult. **Appropriate footwear (i.e., old tennis shoes or water shoes) should be worn while canoeing (no sandals/flip flops).** (NOTE: In order to use the ropes course, a certified facilitator is required. Please ask the Reservations Office for information.)
- NATURE TRAILS:** The nature trails are provided for your enjoyment. Natural ground coverage and terrain may be uneven. For your safety, **please do not feed the wildlife!**
- SMOKING:** **Smoking is not permitted in any enclosed area or on the Curry Hall deck.** Please smoke in designated areas only.
- GOLF CART RENTAL:** Due to the spaciousness of the retreat center, the meeting room might be a short distance from the dining hall. Golf cart rentals are available for a reasonable fee, with prior notice, if any participants have difficulty with short-distance walking.
- PETS:** **No pets**, with the exception of service animals, are allowed. Proof of licensing for service animals is required and must be provided before bringing the animals to any event.

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ALCOHOL: **The use of alcohol**, except at authorized functions, must be approved by the Executive Director.

**SPEED LIMIT/
PARKING:** **The speed limit is 15 MPH.** Please be courteous to guests who are walking or biking
Please **do not** park in the circular drive at the entrance of the Administrative Office

AIRPORTS: Sarasota/Bradenton International Airport (Approx. 25 miles from campus)
Tampa International Airport (Approx. 40 miles from campus)

BUS/RAIL: Greyhound Bus Lines – Bradenton, FL (941) 747-2984 or (800) 231-2222
Amtrak Station – Tampa, FL Information & Reservations (800) 872-7245

VEHICLE RENTAL: Avis (800) 831-2847; Budget (800) 527-0700; Hertz (800) 654-3131;
National (888) 868-6207; Enterprise (941) 746-4311

TAXI/LIMO: AYS – At Your Service (941) 750-9124; Diplomat Taxi (941) 365-8294;
Blue Sky Limo (941) 366-3500; West Coast Sedan (941) 366-2776;
SunCoach (727) 502-7555; ETS Elite Transportation Solutions (813) 215-9516

LOCAL HOTELS: Hampton Inn: 5810 20th Court E., Ellenton, FL (941) 721-4000
Guest House International: 4915 17th Street E., Ellenton, FL (941) 729-0600
Sleep Inn: 5605 18th Street E., Ellenton, FL (941) 721-4933

ROPES FACILITATORS:	DaySpring** Slade Nash (888) 314-5744 **For groups less than 10 in number	Common Ground Mark Lindsay (941) 929-3147	Pathfinder Amy Durand (727) 328-0300, Ext. 221
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**GOLF
COURSES:** Palmetto Pines – 14355 Golf Course Rd., Parrish (941) 776-1375
Buffalo Creek – 8100 69th Street E., Palmetto (941) 776-2611
Palm View Hills – 5712 28th Avenue E., Palmetto (941) 722-2392