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About Living Well Church

We believe God is the source of life and all truth, and that we were lovingly created to live in relationship with him through Jesus. We believe the Bible is the Word of

God and offers help and healing to people in every area of life including the spiritual, physical, emotional, mental, and relational. We believe that all truth is God's truth, and value relationships with all people including Agnostics, Atheists, adherents of non-Christian faiths, and followers of Jesus. We believe the church is people, not property. Currently we meet in a mini-mall in downtown Dixon, Illinois and have an active online community. We started September 11th 2005 in a hotel conference room, then moved to a movie theater for about 3-1/2 years. We have been in our current location for the last 5 years. We do not claim the space we meet

in as "ours" or "sacred", but rather see it as a neutral place we share with our community. We encourage you toward the life changing power of knowing Jesus and toward discovery of the joy in being a catalyst of His help and healing in the lives of others.

What we do: Lead in the discovery and application of God's truth or every area of life.

Getting To Know Us

LISTED BELOW IS OUR CHURCH STAFF. SHOULD YOU HAVE ANY QUES-TIONS ABOUT LIVING WELL, OR ANY OF OUR MINISTRIES PLEASE CON-TACT US. WE WOULD BE HAPPY TO TALK WITH YOU.

Lead Pastor John Trotter 815 973-5981 jptlivingwell@gmail.com Outreach/Church Planting Pastor Nathan Rodehaver 815 973-1174 <u>nsrodehaver@gmail.com</u>

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NOW LIVESTREAMING SMALL GROUPS AND THE SERMONS ON LIVINGWELL'S WEBSITE. GO TO WWW.LIVINGWELLCHURCH.ORG AND CLICK ON THE LIVESTREAM TAB.



"Drlnk from the water I give" ~ Jesus



Today's Sermon: Jesus Knew By Pastor John Trotter

Meeting Sunday Mornings Downtown Dixon Mini-Mall 113 East First Street, Suite 130 Dixon, Il. 61021

Small Groups—9:30 a.m. to 9:55 a.m. Friendship Café—10:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. Morning Worship—10:30 a.m. to 11:45 a.m.

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Welcome to Living Well Church of the Nazarene

Mission Statement

Lead in the Discovery and Application of God's truth in every area of life.

Words of Welcome

As the church year draws to a close, we celebrate Christ our King. Let us worship Jesus, the One who was, who is and who is to come! Amen.

Preparation for Worship

Christ, thou head of the church: Rule in my life, too, I pray. Amen.

Order of Service

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Song - Open Up the Heavens Scripture Reading : Revelations 5:1-5 Song - The Roar Responsive Reading: The King of Glory Song - How Firm a Foundation Pastoral Prayer: Pastor Trotter Offering / Video: Wherever He Leads I'll Go Dismiss kids for Children Worship Sermon: "Jesus Sent" Pastor John Trotter Closing Song - I'll Go Where You Want Me To Go Pastoral Blessing Dismiss: Pastor Trotter Friendship Café Leader: Stephanie Scott

Friendship Café Leader: Stephanie Scott Computer Tech: Brad Larson Sound Tech: Sammi Scott Online Ministry Tech: Mark Ellis Ushers: Volunteers Counters: Pam Ellis, Deanna Carlock

My Take Away for Today

Sermon Notes

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THE KING OF GLORY Psalm 24

Pastor: The earth is the Lord's, and all its fullness, The world and those who dwell therein.

For He has founded it upon the seas, And established it upon the waters.

Pastor: Who may ascend into the hill of the Lord? Or who may stand in His holy place?

He who has clean hands and a pure heart, Who has not lifted up his soul to an idol, Nor sworn deceitfully.

Pastor: He shall receive blessing from the Lord, And righteousness from the God of his salvation.

This is Jacob, the generation of those who seek Him, Who seek Your face.

Pastor: Lift up your heads, O you gates! And be lifted up, you everlasting doors!

And the King of glory shall come in.

Pastor: Who is this King of glory?

The Lord strong and mighty, The Lord mighty in battle.

Pastor: Who is this King of glory?

The Lord of hosts, He is the King of glory.

Pastor: Lift up your heads, O you gates! And lift them up, you everlasting doors!

And the King of glory shall come in.

Connect Holiday Schedule

November 26th	No Connect
December 3rd	No Connect
December 10th	Connect
December 17th	Connect
December 24th	No Connect
December 31st	No Connect
January 7th	No Connect
January 14th	Connect
January 21st	Connect
January 28th	Connect

SHINE Small Group Leader: Tracy Young Next Week: TBD

<u>Children's Worship Leader:</u> Jeanette Trotter Next Week: Jeanette Trotter

Teen Small Group Leader: Dan Long Next Week: Dan Long

Adult Small Group Leader: Pastor Trotter Next Week: TBD

COMING EVENTS

- Men's group Sat. mornings @ 7:30 @ John's Barbershop
 - CONNECT WEDNESDAY NIGHTS 7PM-8:15PM
- Next Advisory Council Meeting November 20th @ 7pm
 - CHRISTMAS WALK DECEMBER 5TH
 - Next Communion December 7th
 - KIDS CHRISTMAS PROGRAM DECEMBER 21ST

~ Stewardship Update ~

Totals for 11/16/2014

Tithe: \$684 Debt Reduction: \$25 Living Water: \$25 Total: \$734

Total For November: \$2241



Wednesday Nights 7pm—8:15pm

Connect Groups:

<u>Kids:</u> Splash: Birth - Kindergarten K'Motion: 1st - 5th Grade

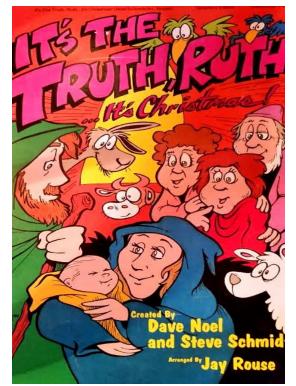


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Youth: Pipeline: 6th - 12th Grade

<u>Adult:</u> Spiritual Formation, Celebrate Recovery Group, Women's Recovery Groups conclude with a time of high energy worship 8:15 - 8:30

This year we will have our Kid's Christmas Program, It's The Truth Ruth, will be held Sunday, December 21st. The kids will be practicing every Sunday till the day of the program. There will be 2 more Saturday rehearsals before the live performance. They will be 12/13, and 12/20 from 10am till noon. We pray for God's protection over the kids that they may attend all practices to help assure a smooth performance.



Keep Ringing the Bell

The College of William and Mary in Williamsburg, Virginia, is one of America's oldest colleges. A little-known fact is that this honored institution was closed in 1881 due to the Civil War and a lack of finances. It remained closed for seven years.

Yet its president, Benjamin Ewell, never lost hope for the school. In anticipation of the day when the college would re-open and fill with students, he rang its bell every day of those seven years.

Christians can maintain this type of persistent hope, too, no matter how bleak our situations look. As St. Paul writes, we "boast in our hope," which "does not disappoint us" (see Romans 5:2-5, NRSV).

May your stuffing be tasty May your turkey plump, May your potatoes and gravy Have nary a lump. May your yams be delicious And your pies take the prize, And may your Thanksgiving dinner Stay off your thighs! ~Grandpa Jones





ON THE SERMON HORIZON

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Today we continue the 16 week "Jesus _____ (Verb)" series

Today "Jesus Sent" Luke 22:7- 38 Nov 30th "Jesus Asked" Luke 22: 47-53

The first 2 weeks of December we will have a slight shift in emphasis to focus on "Mary and Joseph _____(Verb).

Dec. 7th "Joseph Woke" Matthew 1:24 Dec. 14th "Mary Answered" Luke 1:38

Join us onsite, or via Live Stream @ livingwellchurch.org

