

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 QUESTIONS ABOUT LIVING WELL, OR ANY OF OUR MINISTRIES PLEASE CONTACT US. WE WOULD BE HAPPY TO TALK WITH YOU.

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"Drink from the water I give" ~ Jesus



Today's Sermon: **Blessed Are Those Who Hunger and Thirst**
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

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Sermon Notes

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Mission Statement

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

Words of Welcome

As we draw close to God in worship, let us also draw close to others in love and friendship. Pray earnestly, sing joyously, listen intently and greet one another sincerely.

Preparation for Worship

Dear Lord, you deserve praise forever. May all glory be yours for the gift of life, the loveliness of the earth and your love through Christ. Amen.

Order of Service

May 31st, 2015

Welcome and announcements: Bill Young

Video - Jesus: I Still Love You

Scripture Reading : Isaiah 12:2-5

Song - Praise Him

Song - All Who are Thirsty

Scripture Reading: Psalms 107:4-9

Pastoral Prayer: Brandon Wyatt

Offering/Offertory - Video: Change is Possible

Dismiss the kids for Children's Worship

Sermon - Blessed Are Those Who Hunger and Thirst, Pastor Trotter

Closing Song - All Who are Thirsty

Pastoral Blessing: Steve Scott, Revelation 21:6

Dismiss: Steve Scott

Worship Leaders: Steve, Bill, John, Angie

Greeters: Steve and Stephanie Scott

Friendship Café Leader(s): Stephanie Scott, Shelly Long

Ushers: Jase, Jay Jr., and Jay Valdez

Computer Tech: Brad Larson

Sound Tech: Sammi Scott

Online Ministry Tech: Mike Janes

Counters: Pam Ellis, Deanna Carlock

My Take Away for Today



Weekly Ministry Leaders	
Infant Nursery Leader and Helpers:	Toddler Nursery Leader and Helpers:
Danielle Valdez	Danielle Valdez
Next Week: Danielle, Jayden Valdez	Next Week: Angie Wyatt, Jeseña
Shine Small Group Leader:	Children's Worship Leader:
Jeanette Trotter	Jeanette Trotter
Next Week: Jeanette Trotter	Next Week: Jeanette Trotter
Teen Small Group Leader:	Adult Small Group Leader:
Dan Long	Pastor Trotter
Next Week: Dan Long	Next Week: Bill Young
Clean Team:	
Gelacio "Jay" Valdez	
Next Week:	

COMING EVENTS

- **MEN'S GROUP SAT. MORNINGS @ 7:30 @ JOHN'S BARBERSHOP**
 - **WORSHIP TEAM AUDITIONS TBA**
 - **NEXT COMMUNION JUNE 7TH**
 - **CHURCH BOARD MEETING JUNE 11TH**

~ Stewardship Update ~

Totals for 5/24/2015

Tithe: \$1099.50

Water: \$40

Total: \$1139.50

Total for May: \$4283.49

Offering for Nepal: \$169

Church Announcements:

- **Summer Schedule begins Next Sunday, June 7th**

9:30 - Worship

10:30 - Friendship Cafe and Registration

10:45 - Connect Groups

Sign up sheets are available today to help our leaders prepare.

Sign up/Registration for Teens and Children are intended to be completed by Parents or guardian.

- Living Well would like to recognize and congratulate the following graduates. The 3 on the left from Jr. High, and the 4 on the right from Sr. High. Please remember to support them prayerfully and in person as they start the new chapters in their lives.

Kobe St. Pier

Samantha Scott

Skylar Scott

Truley Wingert

Jaseña Valdez

Katie Scott

Kolton Morgan

- Additional Location for Men's group begins this Saturday, June 6th here at the minimall with Bill Young Leading

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(See Matthew 5:5)

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THE EARTH IS YOURS, BUT, AS EXPECTED,
THE NON-MEEK ARE GOING TO CONTEST
THIS RULING LIKE CRAZY

North Star People

In *Scribbling in the Sand* (InterVarsity Press), Christian musician Michael Card notes that the north sky is relatively dark at night. Polaris, or the North Star, is a great frame of reference, but when most people see the North Star for the first time, they're surprised it isn't brighter.

Card recommends that we strive to become North Star people, rather than attention-seeking stars that burn out quickly.

“Seldom will people point their telescopes at us. And when they do, they will no doubt respond, ‘Oh, I thought she was brighter than that.’ But as North Star people, we can serve a deeper purpose. When people need us, we can be there for them, pointing [to] the Way. While the world is spinning at a dizzying pace, we can remain grounded to the same spot, less dazzling but unmovable.

“After all, Jesus was a North Star person. There was nothing in his appearance that seemed especially brilliant, according to Isaiah. In his time there were far more dazzling messianic stars who came and went with a flash. But Jesus has always remained there, rooted to the same place in the universe, unmovable. He constantly calls out to us to turn around and behold the dazzling dimness of his light, as it shines in this present world — to find our way to it, and then to find our way by it.”

“In the time of your life, live — so that in that wondrous time you shall not add to the misery and sorrow of the world, but shall smile to the infinite variety and mystery of it.”

—William Saroyan



ON THE SERMON HORIZON



Today the “The Good News of the Kingdom” series continues

Today - Blessed are Those Who Hunger

June 7th - Blessed Are the Merciful

June 14th - Father's Day: A Father's Heart

June 21st - Blessed are the Pure In Heart

June 28th - Blessed are the Peacemakers

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