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 6 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 in 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.

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

Admin/Small Groups/Connect Jeanette Trotter 815 973-5982 jptlivingwell@gmail.com

Now Live Streaming small groups and the sermons on Living Well's website. Go to <u>www.livingwellchurch.org</u> and click on the Livestream tab.



April 10th. 2016

"Drink from the water I give" ~ Jesus



Today's Sermon: Now What!?!: Moses By Pastor Trotter

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

Small Groups—9:30 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. Friendship Café—10:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. Worship—10:30 a.m. to 11:45 **815 973-5981**

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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 we gather, we pray, "Holy God, receive our worship, offered to the glory of your name. Amen."

Preparation for Worship

In the spirit of springtime, we focus on the new life God causes to sprout — in the world and church, in lives and hearts.

Order of Service

April 10th, 2016

Welcome and Announcements: Lisa Janes Comedy Sketch Scripture Reading: Exodus 3:7-8 Song: God of Wonders Song: Come Thou Long-Expected Jesus Scripture Reading: Exodus 3:5-6 Song: I'll Go Where You Want Me to Go Communion Pastoral Prayer: Reading of Prayer by St Patrick - Steve Scott / Pastor John Song: Christ Be All Around Me Offering: Sermon: Now What!?! Moses Closing song: I am Pastoral Blessing/Dismiss: Exodus 15:2 Pastor Trotter

Greeters: Mike and Lisa Janes Worship Team: Renata, Steve, Bill, John Friendship Café Leader(s): Stephanie Scott and Danielle Valdez Ushers: Jase Jayden Jeseña Valdez Computer Tech: Brad Larson Sound Tech: Tod Carlock LiveStream Tech: Mike Janes Counters: Pam Ellis and Deanna Carlock My Take Away for Today

Weekly Ministry Leaders

Infant Nursery Leader and Helpers:	Toddler Nursery Leader and Helpers:
Worship: Sheryl Broers	Worship: BJ Broers
Small Group: Sheryl Broers	Small Group: BJ Broers
K'motion Small Group Leader:	Children's Worship Leader:
Next Week:	Next Week:
Pipeline Teen Small Group Leader:	Adult Small Group Leader:
	Bill Young
Next Week:	Next Week: Pastor Trotter

Coming Events

- Men's group Sat. mornings @ 7:30 at John's Barbershop and here at the mini-mall
 - Next Church Board Meeting April 14th
 - ConventionPalooza April 30th in Pekin
 - Next Communion May 1st

"The devil knows your name but calls you by your sin. God knows your sin but calls you by your name."

–Ricardo Sanchez

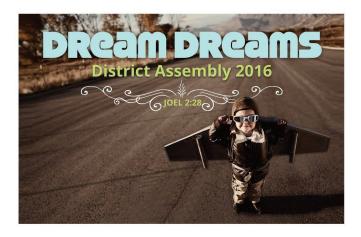
~ Stewardship Update ~

Totals for 4/3/16 Tithe: \$695 Total: \$695 Total for April: \$695

Christian Symbol — Tau Rho

The symbol of salvation is composed of the Greek letters tau (T) and rho (P). It was first used in ancient New Testament manuscripts as an abbreviation for the Greek word for "cross." The symbol also seems to visually represent Jesus on the cross.

~ If it doesn't lead to Jesus, it doesn't lead to God~

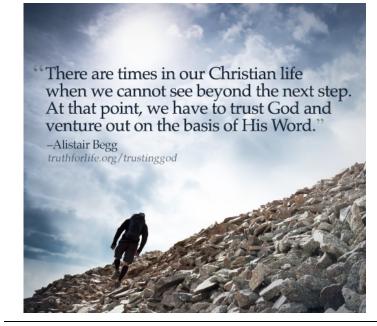


Another District Assembly is in the books of history. This year was the 68th annual Assembly of the Northwestern Illinois District of the Church of the Nazarene. This years theme was "Dream Dreams". Living Well Church was represented at Assembly by Pastor John, Ella Mahnke, Jay and Danielle Valdez, Mark and Pam Ellis. Our Delegate, Jay Valdez, filled the important role of voting for various elected District positions. Mark Ellis was the photographer for the District. Our District Superintendent, Scott Sherwood, gave a speech casting the District's vision for the next year. We also got to hear our General Superintendent, Dr. Gustavo Crocker, who spoke on the opening day and gave a sermon to close out the Assembly. Both reverend Sherwood and Dr. Crocker spoke on Discipling. Being a Christ-like disciple and in turn making disciples is an important sign of a healthy church. . They are both great speakers and are very inspiring. If you get the chance to go next year I am sure you will enjoy it. Seeing all of the people from other churches on our District is a great reminder that Living Well is a small part of a larger District family. Take a second out of your time this morning to thank Jay for representing Living Well as our delegate and ask him about his experience this weekend.

Healing and Community

In [the] healing texts, Jesus does not just cure people's diseases and cast out their demons and then say, "Mission accomplished." He's always after something more than that because the healing is never fully accomplished until there is a restoration to community. People are healed of disease, and then he tells the folks just standing around watching to go get them something to eat. The widow's son is raised from the dead and then [Jesus] gives him back to his mother. And ... the man healed of demons is then told to stay with his people and speak of what God has done. In the Jesus business, community is always a part of healing. Even though community is never perfect.

-Nadia Bolz-Weber, Accidental Saints





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ON THE SERMON HORIZON

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Today we start the "Now What !?!" series

Today - Now What!?!: Moses April 17th - Now What!?!: Joshua April 24th - Now What!?!: Elijah Join us onsite, or via Live Stream @ livingwellchurch.org