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

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.

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



"Drink from the water I give" ~ Jesus



Today's Sermon: Now What!?!: Joshua 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

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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

Brothers and sisters in the risen Christ, grace and peace to you! Please greet one another as we prepare to worship God.

Preparation for Worship

I am your lamb; you are my Good Shepherd. But you're also the Lamb sacrificed in my place, Lord Jesus. Help me grasp this profound mystery!

Order of Service

April 17th, 2016

Preservice Music Live: Higher Ground Welcome and Announcements: Lisa Janes

Scripture Reading: Psalms 34:3-6

Song: A Mighty Fortress is Our God / Famous One

Song: I Know Whom I Have Believed Scripture Reading: Revelation 12:10-12

Song: All The Way My Saviour Leads Me / I Am New

Prayer Chorus: God Will Make a Way

Pastoral Prayer: Bill Young

Offering/Offertory: Steve and Stephanie Scott

Sermon: Now What!?! Moses

Closing song: Where He Leads I'll Follow

Doxology

Congregational Response: John leads Psalms 56:12-13

Pastoral Blessing/Dismiss: Pastor Trotter

Greeters: Jay and Danielle Valdez

Worship Team: Renata, Bill, John, Steve

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

Ushers: Jase Jayden Jeseña Valdez Computer Tech: Brad Larson

Sound Tech:

LiveStream Tech: Mike Janes

Counters: Pam Ellis and Deanna Carlock

My Take Away for Today

Sermon Notes

Weekly Ministry Leaders	
Infant Nursery Leader and Helpers:	Toddler Nursery Leader and Helpers:
Worship:	Worship:
Small Group:	Small Group:
K'motion Small Group Leader:	Children's Worship Leader:
Next Week:	Next Week:
Pipeline Teen Small Group Leader:	Adult Small Group Leader:
Dan Long / Jay Valdez	Pastor Trotter
Next Week:	Next Week:

Coming Events

- Men's group Sat. mornings @ 7:30 at John's Barbershop and here at the mini-mall
 - Next Church Board Meeting April 21st
 - ConventionPalooza April 30th in Pekin
 - Next Communion May 1st

"Wisdom is oftentimes nearer when we stoop than when we soar."

-William Wordsworth

~ Stewardship Update ~

Totals for 4/10/16

Tithe: \$799

New Building: \$3000 Total: \$3799

Total for April: \$4494

Answer: C (See Esther 2:7.)

Moving Day Change

I am in Christ: created anew, made a branch of the Vine, fitted for fruit-bearing. Would ... that believers would cease looking at their old nature and complaining of their weakness, as if God called them for what they were unfitted for!

Would that they would believingly and joyfully accept the wondrous revelation of how God, in uniting them to Christ, has made himself chargeable for their spiritual growth and fruitfulness! How all sickly hesitancy and sloth would disappear, and under the influence of this motive — the faith in the faithfulness of him whom they are in Christ — their whole nature would rise to accept and fulfill their glorious destiny!

—Andrew Murray, Abide in Christ

Bible Quiz

What was the name of Esther's cousin who raised her after her parents died?

- A. Hegai
- B. Haman
- C. Mordecai
- D. Ahasuerus (also known as Xerxes)

For answer see bottom of page 6





Our first service in the new location across the street has been pushed back to May 8th. This in in order to give us a little extra time to complete everything that needs to be done to make the move happen. Please continue your prayers that God's hands would be all over this new change for Living Well Church.

Avoiding Temptation

Our 10-year-old loves playing on his father's tablet but may use only the touchscreen because he's misused the keyboard and stylus. One day, after receiving permission to play, he detached and handed over the forbidden objects. His dad said, "Just leave them there," but our son replied, "No, I might be tempted to use them."

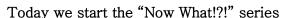
We routinely pray, "Lead us not into temptation," hoping God will almost magically keep us out of trouble even as we stray close to enticements: We buy -calorie treats while intending to "eat healthy." We visit big-box stores and spend money we don't have. We gather with gossipy friends, fully aware that such talk is sinful and harmful.

Perhaps we should be more proactive about removing temptations. Perhaps "Lead me not into temptation" means "God, help me keep myself away from that which tempts me toward poor choices." Amen!

-Heidi Mann



ON THE SERMON HORIZON



Today - Now What!?!: Joshua April 24th - Now What!?!: Elijah

May 1st - Now What!?! Elizabeth

May 8th - Now What!?!: Mary the Mother of Jesus

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