

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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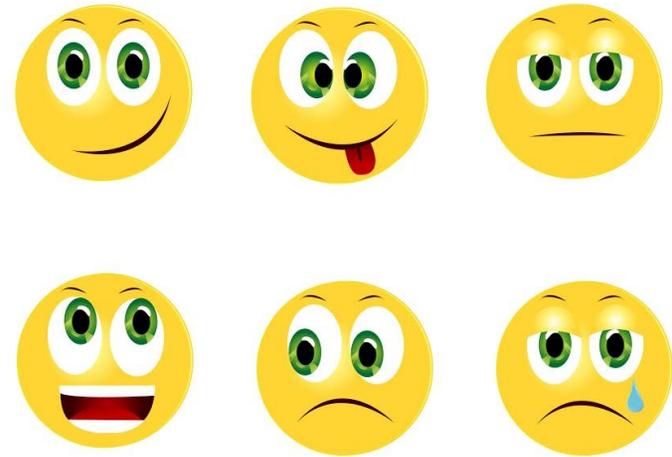
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January 25th 2015

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"Drink from the water I give" ~ Jesus



Today's Sermon: The Marginal Life—Power Pt. 2 - Emotional
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

God invites us to come before him in worship — and so we do this day. Let us focus solely on him for this brief time, to hear his Word and glorify our Savior, Jesus Christ.

Preparation for Worship

Jesus, open my heart to your teaching and my spirit to your healing touch.
Amen.

Order of Service

January 25th, 2015

Welcome and Announcements: Bill Young
Song - Hallelujah (Your Love is Amazing)
Scripture Reading : Psalms 18:1-2
Song - Your Love Never Fails
Scripture Reading: Psalms 1:1-3
Song - Come to the Well
Pastoral Prayer: Bill Young
Offering/Offertory: You Are God Alone
Sermon: The Marginal Life—Power Pt. 2 (Pastor Trotter)
Closing Song - Nothing But the Blood
Pastoral Blessing: Ephesians 3:14-21
Dismiss: Pastor Trotter

Worship Leaders: Steve Scott, Riley, Bill, Paige, Lisa
Friendship Café Leader: Stephanie Scott
Computer Tech: Brad Larson
Sound Tech: Sammi Scott
Online Ministry Tech: Mike Janes
Ushers: Devin Scott, BJ Broers, Koby
Counters: Pam Ellis, Deanna Carlock

My Take Away for Today



Splash Nursery:

Leader and Helpers: Brian Broers

Next Week:

SHINE Small Group Leader:

Tracy Young

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Children's Worship Leader:

Jeanette Trotter

Next Week: Jeanette Trotter

Teen Small Group Leader:

Dan Long

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Adult Small Group Leader:

Mike Janes

Next Week: Stacy Long

COMING EVENTS

- **MEN'S GROUP SAT. MORNINGS @ 7:30 @ JOHN'S BARBERSHOP**
 - **CONNECT WEDNESDAY NIGHTS 7PM-8:15PM**
 - **NEXT COMMUNION FEBRUARY 1ST**
 - **ANNUAL CHURCH MEETING 2/15**
 - **BAPTISM 2/22**
 - **NEXT CHURCH BOARD MEETING FEBRUARY 12TH @ 7PM**
- **REV. JIM BOOK VISITS AND GIVES THE MORNING MESSAGE 3/1**
 - **WORSHIP TEAM AUDIT 3/8**
 - **EASTER SUNDAY 4/5**

~ Stewardship Update ~

Totals for 1/18/2015

Tithe: \$1160.80

Living Water: \$65

Debt Reduction: \$25

Total: \$1250.80

Total for December: \$2785.05

CONNECT

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Wednesday Nights 7pm—8:15pm

Connect Groups:

Kids: Splash: Birth - Kindergarten
K'Motion: 1st - 5th Grade

Youth: Pipeline: 6th - 12th Grade

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



Auditions for new musicians and vocalists will be Sunday March 8th immediately following our morning worship service. Candidates please bring a CD to sing with or an instrument(s) to play. Congregation is invited to attend and offer support and encouragement!

Worship Team members: All correspondence and the musical Program database is done through Google Gmail an Google Documents. In order for you to be kept in the loop please give Steve Scott your Gmail address if you haven't already done so.



Pastor John is planning a Baptism Sunday. It will occur 4 weeks from today on Feb. 22nd. If it has been on your heart to be baptized that would be a great time to take that step of faith.

We were therefore buried with him through baptism into death in order that, just as Christ was raised from the dead through the glory of the Father, we too may live a new life. Romans 6:4 (NIV)

IMPORTANT DATES!

Save these dates and plan on attending!

District Assembly – 04/10/15 & 04/11/15 – Pekin First Church of the Nazarene

District Convention – 04/25/15 – Pekin First Church of the Nazarene

Team Day – 08/08/15 – Pekin First Church of the Nazarene

Not Forgotten

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My wife, Lesa, and I attended a pastor-appreciation event put on by a radio station. When the worship leader asked attendees to turn to one another and share prayer needs, my wife met a pastor who described his church plant, which wasn't growing. He was discouraged and unsure what the future held.

When Lesa asked the name of the church, she smiled and asked if it was near a campground. The pastor said yes. Lesa responded, "Just a few weeks ago, we were camping nearby. A friend and I walked right past your church, and God led me to be praying for it!" In a room of more than 300 people, God put Lesa next to this discouraged pastor so he could know that God hadn't forgotten him.

God is working behind the scenes in ways we may never see. Despite life's challenges, God is for us and not against us. We aren't walking this journey alone.

—Rev. Mike Paulison

Not in a Partying 'MOOD'

A Sunday school teacher shared the parable of the prodigal son with his class, pointing out how resentful the older son was when the father welcomed the wayward brother home with open arms and a party.

Amid the celebration, the teacher emphasized, someone in the story failed to share in the joy. "Can you tell me who that was?" the teacher asked.

Eagerly, a little girl raised her hand. "I know, I know!" she exclaimed. "The fatted calf!"



ON THE SERMON HORIZON



Today we continue the Marginal Life series

Today "The Marginal Life" Power pt. 2 – Emotional
2/1 – "The Marginal Life" Power Pt. 3 – Physical

New Sermon series starts 2/8, "The Mission of the Church"

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