

## 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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NOW LIVESTREAMING SMALL GROUPS AND THE SERMONS ON LIVINGWELL'S WEBSITE. GO TO [WWW.LIVINGWELLCHURCH.ORG](http://WWW.LIVINGWELLCHURCH.ORG) AND CLICK ON THE LIVESTREAM TAB.

March 1st 2015

**livingwell**  
church  
of the nazarene

*"Drink from the water I give" ~ Jesus*



### Today's Sermon: YouChurch Now

By Rev. Jim Book

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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Mission Statement

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Words of Welcome

At Jesus' baptism, God declared his love for him. In the desert, God's angels gave Jesus strength. May our time together remind us of God's love and provision during our celebrations and trials. God bless you as we worship.

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Preparation for Worship

God, you never forget your promise to give us life and preserve us in love. Help us keep covenant with you in return, in all we do.

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**Order of Service**

**March 1st, 2015**

Welcome and Announcements: Bill Young

Song: Hello, My Name Is

Scripture Reading : Galatians 1:3-5

Song - In the Hands of God

Scripture Reading: Psalms 106:1-5

Song - Leaning On The Everlasting Arms

Pastoral Prayer: Pastor Trotter

Offering/Offertory: Glorious Day

Sermon: "YouChurch Now" by Rev. Jim Book

Communion

Closing Song - And All the People Said Amen

Dismiss/Pastoral Blessing: Pastor Trotter 2 Corinthians 13:11-14

Administration of NCD Survey: Jim Book

Worship Leaders: Steve(Lead), Bill, Renata, Paige, Devin

Greeters: Gelacio and Danielle Valdez

Friendship Café Leader: Stephanie Scott

Computer Tech: Brad Larson

Sound Tech: Sammi Scott

Online Ministry Tech: Mike Janes

Ushers: Dan Long, Darrel Trotter, Dave Cooper

Counters: Pam Ellis, Deanna Carlock

My Take Away for Today



**Splash Nursery:**

**Leader and Helpers:** Breanna Carlock

**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

**Next Week:** Dan Long

**Adult Small Group Leader:**

Pastor Trotter

**Next Week:**

**COMING EVENTS**

- **MEN'S GROUP SAT. MORNINGS @ 7:30 @ JOHN'S BARBERSHOP**
  - **CONNECT WEDNESDAY NIGHTS 7PM-8:15PM**
    - **NEXT COMMUNION APRIL 5TH**
- **NEXT CHURCH BOARD MEETING MARCH 12TH @ 7PM**
  - **WORSHIP TEAM AUDITIONS MARCH 8TH**
    - **EASTER SUNDAY APRIL 5TH**

**~ Stewardship Update ~**

Totals for 2/22/2015

Tithe: \$911

Teens: \$60

Total: \$971

Total for February: \$4216.05

# 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, Men and Women's Recovery Groups



## 2015 Church Election Results

### Church Board:

Brad Larson - Trustee (term expires 2016)

Bill Young - Trustee (term expires 2016)

Gelacio "Jay" Valdez - Trustee (term expires 2017)

Dan Long - Trustee (term expires 2017)

Stephanie Scott - Steward (term expires 2016)

Jennifer Cooper - Steward (term expires 2016)

Brittany Lewis - Steward (term expires 2017)

Ella Mahnke - Nazarene World Missions President (term expires 2016)

Jeanette Trotter - Sun. School/Disciple Ministries Pres. (term expires 2016)

Brandon Wyatt - Nazarene Youth Int'l President (term expires 2016)

### Delegates to District Assembly 2015:

Bill Young - Delegate

Mark Ellis - Alternate

### 2015-2016 Appointments: by the new Board as of 2/22/2015

Pam Ellis - Church Treasurer

Jennifer Cooper - Church Board Secretary

## NWIL District Important Dates

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

Pastor & Spouse Retreat - 10/05-10/07 - Camden on the Lake

## “What Can You Do?”

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Paul Smith (1921-2007) dug deep to summon incredible gifts of creativity and perseverance. Born with severe cerebral palsy, he started making art at age 11 on an old typewriter. Steadying one hand with the other so he could use one finger to make one deliberate keystroke at a time, he typed symbols, such as # and @, using a black or colored ribbon. In this painstaking way, he “painted” stunningly detailed pictures.

In a TV report from 2004 (search “Typewriter Artist” on YouTube), a friend says Smith found joy in being creative, and saw that as his life’s purpose. When someone would say, “I could never do that,” the artist would answer, “What can you do?”

Whatever our challenges, God has given us all gifts to share with the world. Perhaps you can’t “paint” pictures with a typewriter ... but what can you do? Do it!



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.



## ON THE SERMON HORIZON



Today we continue the “YouChurch” series

Today – Guest Speaker, Jim Book, District Administrator

March 8th – “Teaching Them...”

March 15th – “To Obey Everything...”

March 22nd – “I Am With You...”

Join us onsite, or via Live Stream @ [livingwellchurch.org](http://livingwellchurch.org)