

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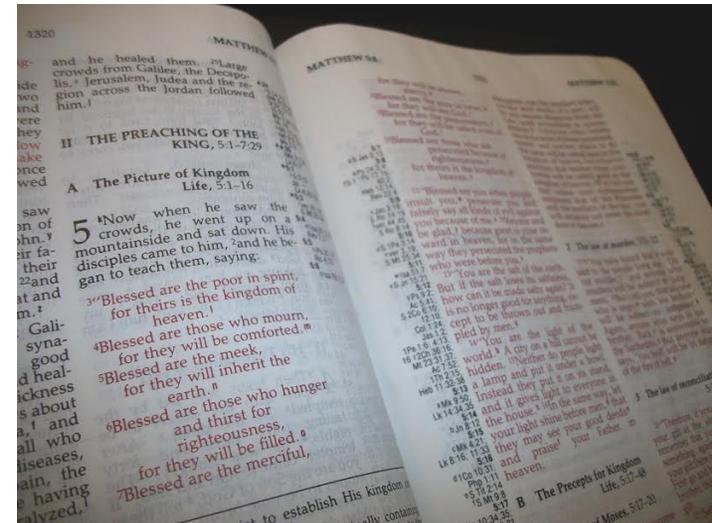
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NOW LIVESTREAMING SMALL GROUPS AND THE SERMONS ON LIVINGWELL'S WEBSITE. GO TO [WWW.LIVINGWELLCHURCH.ORG](http://WWW.LIVINGWELLCHURCH.ORG) AND CLICK ON THE LIVESTREAM TAB.

March 15th 2015

**livingwell**  
church  
of the nazarene

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



**Today's Sermon: YouChurch... teaching them to obey**  
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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Mission Statement

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

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Words of Welcome

God has promised to be our God and to let us be his people. May we focus confidently on the blessing of such a loving relationship as we worship God today.

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Preparation for Worship

“Turn your eyes upon Jesus,” we sing. May we turn our eyes to you today, Lord — our only source of salvation. Amen.

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**Order of Service**

**March 15th, 2015**

Welcome and Announcements: Bill Young

Song: I Will Follow

Scripture Reading : God's Pattern for Life - The Individual

Song - Hosanna

Scripture Reading: God's Pattern for Life - The Neighborhood

Song - Trust and Obey

Pastoral Prayer: Bill Young

Prayer, Installation of New Church Board: Pastor Trotter

Offering/Offerory: Video, “My Life Has Changed”

Dismiss Kids for Children's Worship

Sermon: YouChurch... teaching them to obey (Pastor Trotter)

Testimony of Brandon Wyatt

Closing Song - Your Love Oh Lord

Pastoral Blessing: Pastor Trotter

Dismiss: Pastor Trotter

Worship Leaders: Steve (lead), Angie, Bill, Riley

Greeters: Rod and Christine

Friendship Café Leader: Stephanie Scott

Computer Tech: Brad Larson

Sound Tech: Sammi Scott

Online Ministry Tech: Mike Janes

Ushers: Devin, Skylar, and Joey Scott

Counters: Pam Ellis, Deanna Carlock

My Take Away for Today



**Splash Nursery:**

**Leader and Helpers:** Lisa Janes

**Next Week:**

**SHINE Small Group Leader:**

Tracy Young

**Next Week:** Tracy Young

**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**
    - **WORSHIP TEAM AUDITIONS TBA**
    - **NEXT COMMUNION APRIL 5TH**
    - **EASTER SUNDAY APRIL 5TH**
  - **NEXT CHURCH BOARD MEETING APRIL 9TH**
  - **DISTRICT ASSEMBLY APRIL 10TH AND 11TH**
    - **CONVENTIONPALOOZA APRIL 25TH**

**~ Stewardship Update ~**

Totals for 3/8/2015

Tithe: \$1,110

Total: \$1,110

Total for March: \$2,074

# 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



## A Potluck of People



Many congregations enjoy gathering for potluck dinners — meals largely unplanned, when people bring food to share. Usually, the main dishes, salads and desserts balance out. The fun is the variety mixing together on a plate and the surprise factor of what's contributed.

Churches and communities — even families — are potlucks of a sort, too. When groups assemble, each person contributes something unique and sometimes unexpected. When all is mixed together, the whole is truly greater than the sum of the parts. A beautiful balance often results: One is a good singer, the other writes well; some are strong leaders, others dependable team members; some are traditional, others innovative. Together, it's delicious!

Potlucks are sometimes called covered-dish dinners. But don't keep your gifts "covered"! Share them because you're a valued part of the whole.



We begin to pray, believing that it is our own initiative that compels us to do so. Instead, we learn that it is always God's initiative within us.

—Pope John Paul II

## 2015 ConventionPalooza

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The theme for this year's ConventionPalooza is "Pushing Back the Dark" It will be held at Pekin First Nazarene Church on Saturday, April 25th from 9am to 4:30pm. Registration will begin at 8:30am. This year's main speakers will be Rusty and Diane Robbins, and music will be performed by Joel and Ali Deckard. Workshop information and kid's registration can be found at [conventionpalooza.org](http://conventionpalooza.org). This will be a great resource opportunity for anyone involved or interested in becoming involved with Sunday School & Discipleship Ministries International, Nazarene Youth International, and Nazarene Missions International

## St. Patrick's Day Trivia

You may know that St. Patrick used shamrocks to teach about the Trinity, but did you know these other facts about him?

- St. Patrick wasn't Irish. (His parents were Roman citizens living in either Scotland or Wales.)
- He was kidnapped and sold as a slave at age 16. After escaping six years later, he joined a monastery in England.
- March 17 is the date of St. Patrick's death, not his birth. He died in 461 A.D.
- The color originally associated with St. Patrick is blue, not green.
- The harp, not the shamrock, is the national symbol of Ireland.

May your St. Patrick's Day be filled to the full measure with the Lord's blessings and plenty of Corned Beef and Cabbage!



## ON THE SERMON HORIZON

Today we continue the "YouChurch" series

Today - "teaching them to obey"

March 22nd - "I Am With You"

March 29th - We are Christian, Holiness, Missional

April 5th - Whosoever Believes in Him Shall not Perish!

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