

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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July 19th 2015

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"Drink from the water I give" ~ Jesus



Today's Sermon: You Are the Light of the World
By Brandon Wyatt

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

Worship—9:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.

Friendship Café—10:30 a.m. to 10:45 a.m.

Connect—10:45 a.m. to 11:30

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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

When the disciples told Jesus about their ministry, he urged them, "Come away ... and rest a while" (Mark 6:31, ESV). Welcome to a time and place away from life's busyness. Rest — and worship.

Preparation for Worship

I pray for other worshipers here today. You know their needs and burdens, Jesus. If I can help someone, show me what to do. Amen.

Order of Service

July 19th, 2015

Welcome and announcements: Bill Young

Scripture Reading: Genesis 1:1-5

Song - Salt And Light

Song - Whom Shall I Fear

Scripture Reading: Genesis 1:14-19

Pastoral Prayer: Bill Young

Offering/Offertory - Song/Video: Jessa and Lacie

Dismiss the kids for Children's Worship

Sermon - "You are the Light of the World", Brandon Wyatt

Closing Song - I Saw The Light

Pastoral Blessing/Dismiss: Steve Scott, 1 John 2:7-8

Worship Leaders: Steve, Bill, Jessa, Laci, Sheryl, Lisa

Greeters: Brian and Sheryl Broers

Friendship Café Leader(s): Stephanie Scott

Ushers: Jase, Jeseña, and Jayden Valdez

Computer Tech: Brad Larson

Sound Tech: TBD

LiveStream Tech: Worship, Small Group, Upload: TBD

Counters: Pam Ellis, TBD

My Take Away for Today



Weekly Ministry Leaders	
Infant Nursery Leader and Helpers:	Toddler Nursery Leader and Helpers:
Khyrsten	Breanna
Next Week: Lisa	Next Week: Sheryl
K'motion Small Group Leader:	Children's Worship Leader:
Jennifer, Renata, Deb	Jeanette Trotter
Next Week: Angie, Renata	Next Week: Jeanette Trotter
Pipeline Teen Small Group Leader:	Adult Small Group Leader:
Dan Long	Bill Young
Next Week: TBD	Next Week: Bill Young
Men's Celebrate Recovery	Women's Celebrate Recovery
No Celebrate Recovery this week	No Celebrate Recovery this week
Next Week: Pastor Trotter	Next Week: Jeanette Trotter
Clean Team:	
TBD	
Next Week: TBD	

COMING EVENTS

- **MEN'S GROUP SAT. MORNINGS @ 7:30 AT JOHN'S BARBERSHOP AND HERE AT THE MINI-MALL**
- **BIBLE STUDY ON SANCTIFICATION WED. NIGHTS @ 7PM HERE**
 - **CELEBRATE FAMILY DAY SEPT 7TH AT LOWELL PARK**
 - **CHURCH BOARD MEETING AUGUST 13TH**

~ Stewardship Update ~

Totals for 7/12/2015
 Tithe: \$705
 Living Water: \$25
 Dick Mahnke Memorial: \$200
 Total: \$930
 Total for June: \$2318

On Vocation? Use GPS!

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Many vacationers rely on a global positioning system to get them easily to a destination. But in every season of life, God sends us on vocation — following his call to both feed our passions and serve others. Our “calling,” Frederick Buechner said, is “where [our] deep gladness and the world’s deep hunger meet.”

But is there a GPS for vocation? It’s not as detailed or predictive as we’d like. It doesn’t name our destination at the outset, and it offers general instructions rather than specific directions. And we may end up “recalculating” our life route more often than our vehicle GPS recalculates our vacation route.

Even so, we travel in safety. This “GPS” might stand for God’s Peace and Strength, or Gospel Promises Sustain, God Provides Salvation or Go! Proclaim! Serve! The GPS guiding our vocation speaks to us through Scripture, worship, trusted Christian friends, life events and the silence of our heart. Listening, we hear our Guide’s calm voice and continue on vocation.

—Heidi Mann

John and Jeanette would like to thank all who were able to make it to the wedding of Alyssa Trotter and Josh Shank yesterday. Also they would like to thank all of those from the Living Well family for the many ways you contributed to making the day a great success. We are a small family, but our love is mighty.



Everything I need to know about life, I learned from Noah’s Ark

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One: Don’t miss the boat.

Two: Remember that we are all in the same boat.

Three: Plan ahead. It wasn’t raining when Noah built the Ark.

Four: Stay fit. When you’re 600 years old, someone may ask you to do something really big.

Five: Don’t listen to critics; just get on with the job that needs to be done.

Six: Build your future on high ground.

Seven: For safety’s sake, travel in pairs.

Eight: Speed isn’t always an advantage. The snails were on board with the cheetahs.

Nine: When you’re stressed, float a while.

Ten: Remember, the Ark was built by amateurs; the Titanic by professionals.

Eleven: No matter the storm, when you are with God, there’s always a rainbow waiting.

“Summer afternoon — summer afternoon; to me those have always been the two most beautiful words in the English language.”

—Henry James



ON THE SERMON HORIZON



Today the “The Good News of the Kingdom” series continues

Today – You are the Light

July 26th – Great in the Kingdom

August 2nd – What About Anger?

August 9th – What About Adultery?

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