

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 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](http://www.livingwellchurch.org) and click on the Livestream tab.



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



**Today's Sermon: Home Building 101**  
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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Mission Statement

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Words of Welcome

Welcome to worship and fellowship in the body of Christ. Peace be with all who gather here.

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Preparation for Worship

As autumn settles in, you surround us with warmth and tenderness, like a parent cuddling a child. Thanks for your protection and love, Lord.

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**Order of Service**

**November 8th 2015**

Welcome and announcements:

Scripture Reading: Matthew 11:28-29

Song: King of Glory

Song: O Love That Will Not Let Me Go

Scripture Reading: Isaiah 60:1-3

Song: I Will Rise

Pastoral Prayer: Lisa Janes

Offering/Offerory: Music Video - Offering by Paul Baloche

Dismiss the kids for Children's Worship

Sermon: Home Building 101, Pastor Trotter

Closing Song: Hear Our Praises

Pastoral Blessing/Dismiss: Steve Scott, 1 Thessalonians. 5:16-23

Worship Leaders: Steve, John, Bill, Angie, Renata, Katelyn

Greeters: Danielle and Gelacio Valdez

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

Ushers: Jase, Jayden, and Jeseña Valdez

Computer Tech: Brad Larson

Sound Tech: Devin Scott

LiveStream Tech: Mike Janes

Counters: Pam Ellis, TBA

My Take Away for Today



<b>Weekly Ministry Leaders</b>	
Infant Nursery Leader and Helpers:	Toddler Nursery Leader and Helpers:
Worship: Sheryl Broers	Worship: Skylar and BJ
Small Group: Sheryl Broers	Small Group: Skylar and BJ
K'motion Small Group Leader:	Children's Worship Leader:
Jeanette Trotter	Angela
Next Week: Jeanette Trotter	Next Week: Jeanette Trotter
Pipeline Teen Small Group Leader:	Adult Small Group Leader:
Dan Long	Bill Young
Next Week: Dan Long	Next Week: Bill Young

- COMING EVENTS**
- **MEN'S GROUP SAT. MORNINGS @ 7:30 AT JOHN'S BARBERSHOP AND HERE AT THE MINI-MALL**
    - **CHURCH BOARD MEETING NOVEMBER 12TH**
  - **ONE COMMUNITY WORSHIP SERVICE NOV. 15TH 6:30 @ DHS**
    - **DIXON CHRISTMAS WALK DECEMBER 4TH 6-9PM**
      - **NEXT COMMUNION DECEMBER 6TH**

“YOU CAN DO MORE THAN PRAY, AFTER YOU HAVE PRAYED, BUT YOU CANNOT DO MORE THAN PRAY UNTIL YOU HAVE PRAYED.”

—JOHN BUNYAN

**~ Stewardship Update ~**

Totals for 11/01/15

Tithe: \$503.80

Total: \$503.80

Total for October: \$503.80



November 15th we start our next sermon series. It will be a 3 week series on prayer titled “Listening for the Resonance”. For the sermon titles see the On the Sermon Horizon section on page 5.

Father, I face another day in which I will be called upon to use my words wisely and well. May they encourage those who listen. May they speak truth but also be said in love. May I pause before I pounce. May I be bold enough to speak when I would rather run away. Lord, I give my mouth to you today. May what comes forth be sweet and not bitter. May the journey each word takes from my mind to my heart to my lips be guided by your hand. May what comes out be life-giving rather than causing death. May my words make you proud and bring you glory. In Jesus’ name, Amen.

—Karen Ehman, Keep It Shut (Zondervan)



Adult Small Group

We only have 1 more week left of The Upward Call small group Bill Young has been leading. Then, on November 22nd Bill or Pastor John will start leading a 6 week study based on the book “not a fan” by Kyle Idleman. That leaves plenty of time to get your copy of the book.

Some Perspective

We can be thankful to a friend for a few acres, or a little money; and yet for the freedom and command of the whole earth, and for the great benefits of our being, our life, health and reason, we look upon ourselves as under no obligation.

—Seneca the Elder (54 B.C.–39 A.D.)

A Note of Thanks

With grateful appreciation we would like to thank our Living Well Church family for all of your kind expressions of sympathy during this difficult time of losing our mother/grandmother, Stella Young. Whether you helped towards the luncheon, set up or tear down, tech team so our sister could attend her mother’s funeral, prayers, texts, calls, or memorial money. We love you all and feel very blessed to call you our family.

Sincerely,  
Bill, Tracy, Riley, and Renata

Thanksgiving Offering for WEF Sunday November 22nd



The Church of the Nazarene’s annual Thank Offering for the World Evangelism Fund has been a denominational tradition for more than 75 years. Every year we look back and remember what God has done. Out of thankfulness, we give back to God. This year’s World Evangelism Fund Thank Offering celebrates how our time, prayers, and donations help spread the gospel. Through language schools, church plants, mission hospitals, and many other ministries, God uses our gifts to do amazing things.

For more information visit <http://nmi.nazarene.org/10103/story.html>



ON THE SERMON HORIZON

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

Today – Home Building 101

November 15th – This Means War – Prayer

November 22nd – The Prayer of Thanksgiving

November 29th – Intercessory Warprayer

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