

Brunswick Reformed Church

3535 Grafton Road – Brunswick, OH 44212



We at BRC believe the love of Jesus brings transformation:

INWARD - As we experience the love of Jesus together in worship!

UPWARD - As we grow in grace and truth through small groups & Bible studies!

OUTWARD - As we participate together in the mission of Jesus by serving others and sharing our faith!



Lead Pastor- Dan Toot
Associate Pastor- Jay Carroll

Worship Services
Sunday 9:00 & 10:30 am
Adult Sunday School 9:00 & Children's Sunday School 10:30am
www.b-r-c.org

Where the love of Jesus is transforming lives....

**Welcome to Brunswick Reformed Church's worship celebrations.
To make our mutual experience more enjoyable today please:**

- 1. Relax** - At BRC you can rest assured that you will not be embarrassed, singled out, or put on the spot.
- 2. Fill Out a Welcome Card** - These can be dropped in the offering plate later. The information won't be misused, and will help us know who's been here. It's also a great way to drop a note to, or request a contact from, a staff member.
- 3. Ask for Prayer** - If you have a prayer concern to share, pick up a prayer request form from the cart in back. Give completed forms to an usher or the pastor before the service begins.
- 4. Know There Are Options for Children** –
 - The small room in the right rear corner has rocking chairs where little ones can be rocked, quieted or nursed.
 - We have an excellent nursery for ages 0-3 at the far end of our education wing.
- 5. Join Us for Fellowship** - Coffee and juice are served in the fellowship area after each service. Join us and get acquainted. We do ask that you not take drinks into worship with you.
- 6. Do Not Feel Obligated to Give** - If you are a first-time guest, please do not feel obligated to participate in the offering. This is a time when members and regular attendees honor God by giving to his work through this church. Let today be our gift to you.
- 7. "Give by Text" is available.** Simply send a text to 330-239-8652 with the amount you would like to contribute.
- 8. BRC is on the web** www.b-r-c.org

Who Is BRC? We are a member of the Reformed Church in America, a Protestant denomination that goes back to the Reformation period in Europe when the Church was "reformed" according to the Word of God.

We are a mixture of Christians from many denominational backgrounds, all seeking to grow in our spiritual maturity as we live by faith with Jesus as our forgiver and leader.

SERVING AT BRC

Sunday, September 30

Greeters (9) – Mike and Arleen Pasko
(10:30) – Ilze Fultz

Nursery (9) – as needed
(10:30) – Jacqueline Bowen, Keziah Kisner

Ushers (9) – Paul Buser, Mike Pasko
Assisting – Bob Jacobs, Dennis Parker

(10:30) - Steve Dickens, Matt Hansel
Assisting – Pete Nixon, Stephanie Hansel

Hospitality Team - Bill & Nancy Sutton
- Nixon/ Feeney

Elder – Kathy Rounds
Deacon –Steve Dickens

Sunday, October 7

Greeters (9) – Gina Koch
(10:30) – Carol Rounds and Katie Patterson

Nursery (9) – as needed
(10:30) – Maddie Cook, Jade Poore

Ushers (9) – Bob Jacobs, Dennis Parker
Assisting – Mel Wilk, Earl Holzheimer
(10:30) – Pete Nixon, Stephanie Hansel
Assisting – Bob Besida, Eric Kramer

Hospitality Team - Bill & Nancy Sutton
- Reichenbach/ Walker

Elder – Steve Zapotechne
Deacon –Frank Staron

Sunday, October 14

Greeters (9) –Marilyn Zeigler
(10:30) – Mark Herbert

Nursery (9) – as needed
(10:30) – Brian and Kelly Kenderes, Sara Dickens

Ushers (9) – Mel Wilk, Earl Holzheimer
Assisting – Dick Sensiba, Earl Gentile
(10:30) – Bob Besida, Eric Kramer
Assisting –Kenny Wright, Mark Herbert

Hospitality Team - Bill & Nancy Sutton
- Shuster/ Coyne

Elder – Rick Meyer
Deacon –Pete Nixon

To get a cd of any of our sermons, simply write "cd" and the requested date on your Welcome Card. You'll find your requested cds on the shelf across from the kitchen. The sermon audio files, sermon outlines, study questions, verses, and bulletins are available on the church website www.b-r-c.org.

Prayer Concerns

Madison Haynes' surgery on Monday was successful, pray for continued healing and for less pain as she will miss another week of school and not be able to put weight on it for a while.

Please pray for Donna Jamiol's mom as she is in a lot of pain awaiting her upcoming surgery on October 8th. Please pray also for her Dad as he tries to take good care of her mom.

Praise report from Pastor Don: I saw the neurologist on Monday afternoon and he was very encouraging. He believes my Parkinson's is in the very early stages, and that its progression can be slowed down with medication and exercise. He expects I will have little change for 5-6 years. Thanks for your prayers and kind thoughts these past several weeks!

Continue faithful in prayer for those with ongoing health concerns: Marie Buser, Bob Cooperrider, Rick Demeter, Emerson Draiss, Jeanette Fagan, Nancy & Bob Hanwell, Zak Harbaugh, Earl Holzheimer, Rose Murray, Eileen Raich, Gini Reinke, Dick Read, Kathy Rogoff, Ted Szenger, & Margaret Zapotechne. Continue to pray for our military personnel.



Adults 60 and over: There is a magazine called "The Source" available for you in our literature rack, along with a pamphlet from the Medina County Office for Older Adults. In them you will find great information about resources available to you, including Medicare counseling, activities, events, support groups and even free lunches. This edition is for 2017-2018, and we will replace them with the 2018-2019 edition as soon as they are available. If you have any questions, contact Cindy Toom or any of our Deacons.

Welcome to Worship!

Order of Worship

- *Heart Preparation
- *Time of Praise
- *Prayer
- *Recite catechism/ confession/ creed
- *Announcements (children dismissed by pastor at this time during 10:30 service)
- *Message
- *Prayer Concerns/ Congregational Prayer (giving of our offerings)
- *Time of Praise
- *Doxology/ Benediction/ The Lord's Blessing



Next week we will be celebrating the Sacrament of Holy Communion.

New City Catechism

Question 25.

Does Christ's death mean all our sins can be forgiven?

Answer. Yes, because Christ's death on the cross fully paid the penalty for our sin, God graciously imputes Christ's righteousness to us as if it were our own and will remember our sins no more.

**New Words of Hope devotionals are available on the bulletin table

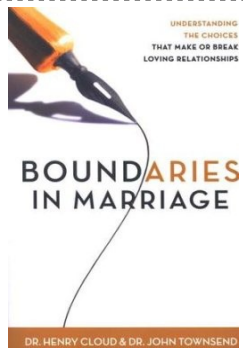
Sunday September 30, 2018

- 9:00 am: Worship service
New City Catechism class, Green Room
- 10:30 am.: Worship Service
Lessons I've Learned Along the Way, Green Room
- 10:45 am: Children's Sunday School (dismissed from service)
PreK-K yellow room, Grades 1-3 Blue Room,
Grades 4-5 Red Room
- 12:00 pm: Membership Class, Blue Room
Women's Renewal discipleship meeting, Red Room

**Blood pressure checks are available between services in
Pastor Dan's office.

*Thank
you!*

The consistory of this church wants to thank Paul Buser, Jim Gates, and Bill Sutton for their constant and caring maintenance of this church. Thank you gentlemen for all that you do!



Marriage Group to start Wednesday October 10th at 7:00pm. Vince and Ginger Taddeo will be starting a new 8 week study on "Boundaries in Marriage" by Dr. Henry Cloud and Dr. John Townsend. This class will start on October 10th, it will not meet on Halloween night or on Thanksgiving Eve, and it will conclude on December 12th. If you want any more information you can reach out to Vince and Ginger Taddeo.

Our offering on 9/23/18 was \$7,436.00 towards the annual budget.
Total weekly needed for budget is \$8,452.00.



2018 Packing Party Information

**Operation Christmas Child 2018
Packing Party**

Sunday, Oct. 21st at NOON

The children of BRC will take center stage for this year's BRC Operation Christmas Child Packing Party. All kids 4 years old through high school will pack 300 shoeboxes! The older kids will be helping out the younger ones as they all come together to provide shoeboxes for needy children all around the world.

Lunch will be provided for the children and ALL BRC adults are encouraged to use this opportunity to go out to lunch with your BRC family to fellowship and get to know each other better!

Adults - your chance to help with OCC will be on Friday, 10/19 at 7pm at BRC as we have our prepacking party combined with AEIOU! Boxes need to be folded, soap and washcloths bagged and other preparations completed!

October 14th will be our combined outdoor worship service and Fall Festival. Pay attention to your email as a sign-up genius will be coming with all of the different places that you can help or things that you can bring. This will be a great day, be praying about who you can invite to this amazing event.



October 14th

FALL Family

FESTIVAL



Bounce House



COMBINED SERVICE

Soup and Chili Potluck Following

on the LAWN

10-14-18

10:30 AM

THIS WEEK:

Monday: **Campus Life**, 6:30pm-8:45pm, Fellowship area
GriefShare, 7pm-9pm, Green Room
Elders meeting, 7pm, Meeting office

Tuesday: **REFIT@**, 6:30-7:30pm, Fellowship area
Potters Workshop, 6:30pm-8pm, Red Room, studying *Minor Prophets*

Wednesday: **Titus 2 Women's Bible Study**, with childcare, 9:30am, Red Room

Morning Small Group Study, 10am-12pm, Green Room, studying *The Promised Land*

Men's Sermon Based Group, 10am-12pm, Blue Room

Senior ministry at Vitalia Assisted Living, 2pm, studying the Gospels

New City Catechism study, 6:30pm-8pm, Green Room

Thrive (group for 18-30yr), 7:30pm, Red Room

Thursday: **God's Friends Forever**, 6:30pm-8pm, Fellowship area

REFIT@, 6:30-7:30pm, Green Room

Worship Team rehearsal, 7:15pm

Friday: **Shining Stars** meet at Southwest Commons at 1:30 p.m., studying *I Chronicles*

AEIOU, 7:00pm, Green Room

Saturday: **REFIT@**, 9am-10am, Fellowship area



REACT Student Ministries.....

For Sunday, Sept 30th

9am Sunday School

TODAY: We are going to the Zoo right after the 10:30 service. Tickets are bought, so if you want to come but

haven't told David you'll need to buy a ticket at the door for \$10. Make sure you have a packed lunch to eat on the way there!

Next week: We will be going to the Piorkowski's house for a fun time around a bonfire (weather permitting) or some board games if it's raining! This will be from 6-8pm at 1163 Marks Road.

AEIOU (Adults Engaged Inwardly Outwardly Upwardly)
This adult small group is open to all adults all the time.

Join us Friday, 10/5 at 7pm at BRC for our next **UPWARD** event as we begin a 3 session study from **Rick Warren** called *The Purpose of Christmas*. Please bring a container of fruit to share and we will build a master fruit salad.

Our next **OUTWARD** event will be Friday, 10/19 at 7pm at BRC. We will **serve by helping prepare for the Operation Christmas Child Packing Party** on 10/21. This is an excellent opportunity to serve as we fold boxes, bag soap and washcloths and prepare all that is needed for a smooth Packing Party.

Our next **INWARD** event will be Nov. 13 as we will go see comedian **Tim Hawkins** at **Grace Baptist Church**. **Please indicate on your Welcome Card this week or next how many tickets you would like and we will look into a group purchase price.**

Questions please call or text Jeff Toom @ 330-523-0352 or email jeff@toom.cc

TOWSLEE-ADOPT-A-STAFF!

There are still some pictures and names available for Adopt a Staff in the fellowship area!

If you would like to adopt a staff member at Towslee, please take a look at the board in the fellowship after the service. Look over the staff members info and flip it over for a picture of them and choose one you would like to adopt!

When you take a sheet, **you MUST fill in your name, email, and phone # next to their name on the paper next to the board.** By doing this, we ask that once a month you bring to church a small gift or card for your staff member. You can either leave this on the shelves across from the kitchen or hand it to David. More information and gift suggestions are available by the adopt-a-staff board.

Thank you to all who have accepted our challenge to attend a small group!

So far, through the first 3 weeks we have

100 adults and 50 kids that have attended a small group.

That is a great percentage of this congregation that have taken steps toward upward transformation!



Operation Christmas Child:

In preparation for our shoebox packing party this fall, we are seeking donations of several items. Any and all donations are always appreciated and will go a long way to touching the lives of many precious children! We will be collecting the following items now through the end of September:

pencils
Hot Wheels/Matchbox cars (non-military)
24 pack crayons
Toothbrushes
bars of soap

Donations can be placed in the tote on the shelves across from the kitchen. Thank you!