

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....

SERVING AT BRC



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.

Sunday, December 8

Greeters (9) – Gail Bindel
(10:30) – Kelly Rhue

Nursery (9) – as needed
(10:30) –Katie & Jonathan Fitzgerald,
Madison Haynes

Ushers (9) – Rick Meyer, Paul Morgan
(10:30) – Phil Carroll, volunteer needed
Assisting – Bob Besida, Eric Kramer

Hospitality Team – Feeney, Nixon

Elder – Steve Zapotechne

Sunday, December 15

Greeters (9) – Gina Koch
(10:30) – Paula Krasnevich

Nursery (9) – as needed
(10:30) –Kelly & Brian Kenderes, Serena
Kramer

Ushers (9) – Earl Gentile, Earl Holzheimer
(10:30) – Bob Besida, Eric Kramer
Assisting – Donna Cook, volunteer
needed

Hospitality Team – Coyne, Shuster

Elder – Vince Taddeo

Sunday, December 22

Greeters (9) – Dennis Parker
(10:30) – Susan Rogers

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

Ushers (9) – Paul Buser, Mike Pasko
(10:30) – Donna Cook, volunteer needed
Assisting – Gary Brualdi, Ilze Fultz

Hospitality Team – Blake, Daley, Cook

Elder – Rick Meyer



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 and bulletins are available on the church website www.b-r-c.org.



REACT Student Ministries....

For Sunday, December 8th

There will be no Sunday school or youth group on December 29th

TODAY! Regular Youth Group 6-8pm - Make sure you're here for some great games and a very special guest speaker!

Next Sunday - BRC Christmas Concert @ 6pm!

High School Students - Genesis Registration is available!

To register go to www.genesisevent.org and click "Individual Registration" BELOW group registration. Make sure to choose Brunswick Reformed Church from the drop down menu. This form will require you to input medical insurance information so make sure to have that handy. After submitting this, please write a check to Brunswick Reformed Church for \$100 + the cost of any T-Shirts / Sweatshirts you've selected on the registration page and give it to David. The dates are **March 13-15 (Fri-Sun)**. **You will need to miss school on Friday, but with a note from David it should be an excused absence.**



Please keep Kelly Rhue's friend and co-worker Clara in your prayers, after having a bone marrow transplant she also now has an infection in her back. Please pray for pain relief and improving signs of the transplant.

Gini Reinke was in Medina Hospital this week with what the doctors think was a mini-stroke. She currently still has all of her muscle functions, she is just still there for observation. Please pray for clear results of the tests and a quick discharge.

Continue faithful in prayer for those with ongoing health concerns: Rhonda Blausner, Biagio Boytim, Marie Buser, Bob Cooperrider, Rick Demeter, Nancy & Bob Hanwell, Rose Murray, Eileen Raich, Gini Reinke, Kathy Rogoff, Ted Szenger, Margaret Zapotechne & Steve Zapotechne. Continue to pray for our military personnel.



Welcome to Worship!
Order of Worship

- *Heart Preparation
- *Time of Praise
- *Recite catechism/ confession/ creed
- *Prayer
- *Announcements/Prayer Concerns/ Congregational Prayer (giving of our offerings)
- *Time of Praise
- *Doxology/ Benediction/ The Lord's Blessing



Heidelberg Catechism

Question 32. But why are you called a Christian?

Answer. Because by faith I am a member of Christ and so I share in his anointing. I am anointed to confess his name, to present myself to him as a living sacrifice of thanks, to strive with a good conscience against sin and the devil in this life, and afterward to reign with Christ over all creation for all eternity.

If you are struggling with anything today or if the sermon hit you; today and every Sunday there will be elders available at the front of the church by the piano after the service to pray with you one on one.

December 8, 2019

- 9:00 am: Worship service
Prayer in the Bible class, Green Room
Youth Sunday School, grades 6-12, Youth Room
- 10:30 am.: Worship Service
- 10:45 am: Children's Sunday School, grades PreK-5th, Yellow, Blue, and Red Rooms
- 12:00 pm: Small Group leader meeting, Green Room
- 6:00 pm: Kid's Christmas movie night



Today is the second Sunday of Advent. Thank you to our candle lighters for lighting the HOPE candle!



Thank you to all the volunteers who helped with Santa's Workshop and rang the bell for the Salvation Army this week! You are so appreciated!



Today is the last day to order 6" poinsettias to decorate the church. Please put "poinsettias" on your welcome card and how many you would like. The cost is \$5 apiece and can be paid for up until TODAY. You can put payment in the marked mailbox in the back kitchen area.



TONIGHT! 6pm-8pm—Movie night for kids! Kids of all ages are welcome! Theater style popcorn and drinks will be provided! Come dressed in your favorite PJ's, bring a pillow and a blanket and enjoy the show!

There is an event on Facebook that you can share or tell us if you are coming.

THIS WEEK:

- Monday: **Campus Life**, 6:30pm-8:45pm, Fellowship area
- Tuesday: **REFIT@**, 6:30-7:30pm, Fellowship area
Ring and Rejoice handbell choir, 7pm-8:30pm, Rm 16
- Wednesday: **No Titus 2 Women's Study this week**
Thrive Group Old Testament study, 7pm, Red Room
"Our Hour of Power" Prayer Night, 7pm, Sanctuary
- Thursday: **God's Friends Forever**, 6:30pm-8pm, Fellowship area
REFIT@, 6:30pm-7:30pm, Green Room
Worship Team rehearsal, 7:15pm
- Friday: **Shining Stars** meet at Southwest Commons Assisted Living at 1:30 p.m., studying *Mark*
- Saturday: **REFIT@**, 9am-10am, Fellowship area



Our Christmas Concert will be Sunday December 15th at 6:00pm. Come and hear the songs of the season and enjoy the performances of the talented musicians of this church!



Our offering for 12/1/19 was \$8,364.00 towards the annual budget. The month-to-date total offering is \$8,364.00. Monthly budget-to-date is \$8,173.00. The total for our Thanksgiving offering to Gift of Hope was \$1,120.00.