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 9am & 11am
Online 11am
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 boxes. 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, write it on the back of your welcome card. 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 tables in the fellowship area designated for families with children to sit while still able to hear and see the service.
- **5. 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.
- **6. "Give by Text" is available.** Simply send a text to 330-239-8652 with the amount you would like to contribute.
- 8. For more information: www.b-r-c.org



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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.



Praise God that Jason Hoag's Dad had a scan and was found to be cancer free!

Please pray for Bill Bumford's sister Linda in Washington state. She is immune compromised, and has just contracted COVID-19, and is in the critical care unit and intubated. Please pray for healing and for good communication between her care team and Bill and Bonnie here in Ohio.

Please pray for Mike Krasnevich. He had shoulder replacement surgery, and the surgeon just told him today that his shoulder that he has been doing therapy with for the last 3 weeks is dislocated. This puts a longer timeline on the recovery and on Mike being out of work. But it does explain the pain he has been in. Please pray for fast healing, and a better way forward for Mike and Paula with therapy.

Jim Welsh got biopsy results from the skin cancer. One temple is okay but the other they want to do Moh's surgery on and possible skin graft. He is scheduled for that on Nov 16th. Thank you for your prayers and please continue to pray for Jim.

Please lift up Bill Piorkowski in prayers for back surgery on November 4th.

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

Our offering for 10/25/20 was \$7,222.03 towards the annual budget. The month-to-date total offering is \$34,019.38. Monthly budget-to-date is \$33,076.92.

**If you would like to drop off your offering, you can stop by the church Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, or Friday between 10am-3pm.



Operation Christmas Child 2020 Update

2020 has been a vastly different year from anything any of us have experienced in the past. There is one constant though to be sure, the need for BRC's Operation Christmas Child (OCC) Ministry to provide as many shoebox gifts and Gospel

Opportunity packets as possible to the extremely poor children of this world. This fall churches and organizations across the US that participate in Operation Christmas Child are having to do ministry different, but that does not have to mean less effective.

*BRC will NOT be having our typical packing party where the entire church is invited to join in filling hundreds of shoeboxes. The packing of 150 shoeboxes this year for 10-14-year-old boys will be handled with minimal volunteers. This is typically the group that has the lowest participation each year, so we felt it was important to focus on them. We are excited to be including soccer balls and pumps that can be shared with others. Thank you to our BRC Family and the church leadership for making the funds possible to purchase the items necessary.

- *In addition to the 150 shoeboxes, we do believe this year provides an awesome opportunity for individuals, couples, and families to participate in greater numbers than we have seen in the past by:
- 1. Packing boxes, yourself or as a family. Go out, safely, and purchase items to pack as many shoeboxes as possible. BRC will have OCC boxes pre-made and ready for pickup 11/1 and drop off at BRC by 11/22. The boxes will include the label brochure and information on what to and not to include. Dollar Tree / Dollar General and Big Lots are excellent places to shop for items.
- 2. <u>Utilizing OCC's Build a Box Program.</u> For \$25 per box you can go to the special OCC site below, select the items you want to include in your box, and be notified of where your box will be delivered. This is an awesome way to participate from the comfort and safety of your own home.

Go to: www.samaritanspurse.org/buildonline and click on Start Building or Build It for Me

Thank you for your continued support of Operation Christmas Child. Please keep this ministry and the children who receive these shoeboxes in your prayers.

God Bless, Cindy Toom

Welcome to Worship! Order of Worship

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



Today we will be celebrating the Sacrament of Holy Communion. We invite all those who have accepted Jesus Christ as their personal Savior and Lord to partake of this sacrament with us.

Heidelberg Catechism

Question 21. What is true faith?

Answer. True faith is not only a knowledge and conviction that everything God reveals in his Word is true; it is also a deep-rooted assurance, created in me by the Holy Spirit through the gospel, that, out of sheer grace earned for us by Christ, not only others, but I too, have had my sins forgiven, have been made forever right with God, and have been granted salvation.

Today:

Worship Service 9:00am

Hebrews Bible study, outside if weather permits, or Red 10:05am

Room

Church History class, Green Room 10:05am

11:00am **Worship Service**

Children's Sunday School (dismissed from service) 11:15am

PreK-5th grade

Monday:

6:30 pm Elders meeting, Red Room

Tuesday:

6:30pm **REFIT®**, outside if weather permits, or Fellowship Area

Wednesday:

Small Group Study, Green Room 10:00am

Titus 2 Women's Group. Facebook live 11:00 am

7:00pm Taddeo Church History small group, online

Thursday:

6:30pm **REFIT®**, outside if weather permits, or Fellowship Area

7:00pm Worship team rehearsal

7:00pm Church History Small Group, Red Room

Saturday:

9:00am **REFIT®**, outside if weather permits, or Fellowship Area

1:00pm GriefShare, Green Room

New class starting next week November 8th! Sheri Niedermyer's 10am Sunday School class will be starting the book of Esther. It is a great time to join this class in the Red Room.



GriefShare



Surviving the Holidays Saturday November 14th 1-3pm

OFFERING ENVELOPES

Thank you for your continued giving this year! Please let Michelle know at michelle@b-r-c.org if:

-You did not have envelopes this year but want them for 2021

-You had envelopes this year and no longer need them for 2021

Thank you!



REACT Student Ministries....

For Sunday, November 1st

Today: Sunday School 10:00am-outside weather permitting, otherwise Youth Room

Tonight Regular Youth Group 6:30pm-8pm We'll be playing a really cool new game and starting a new lesson series so this is a perfect time to join us if your student hasn't been coming regularly and also a great time for friends to join us!

Next week Regular Youth Group 6:30-8pm

If you have any questions please contact David at

David@b-r-c.org or 440-537-5626.



If you'd like to adopt one or more Towslee staff members this year, please choose your names here:

https://www.signupgenius.com/ go/70A0D45A4A72BAAFD0-towslee

Adopting just means that you agree to send an encouragement email to that staff member once a month. There is no financial commitment to this. Contact David Morgan at David@b-r-c.org with any further questions. Thanks!



For Thanksgiving this year, BRC is working with the Oaks Family Care Center and the Brunswick Police Department to adopt families

If you are purchasing fresh

ingredients, please purchase

those closer to the Nov 22nd date

in need for Thanksgiving by providing food rather than presents. Please let Pastor Jay know how many families you would like to adopt for Thanksgiving. The food needs to be back at BRC by Sunday November 22nd. Any questions you can also contact Pastor Jay.

One family dinner includes:

Potatoes for Mashed potatoes

(Fresh or box of flakes)

Stuffing mix

Corn (cans)

Green beans (fresh or cans)

Cream of Mushroom Soup

French Onions (combined with the two above to make green bean casserole)

Cranberry sauce

Small Gift Card (\$15-\$25) for other things non perishable like milk, bread, butter, etc.