

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!

Brunswick Reformed Church

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



Sunday August 29, 2021

Lead Pastor- Dan Toot Associate Pastor- Jay Carroll

Worship Services Sunday 9am & 11am • In-person & Online www.b-r-c.org • 3535 Grafton Road•Brunswick, OH 44212

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 an excellent nursery for ages 0-3 at the far end of our education wing.

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.



REACT Student Ministries.... For Sunday, August 29th

Sunday school today 10am-Youth Room

Youth Group fall kickoff will be Sunday Sept 12th!



Please continue to pray for Rebekah Schreiner's dad, but praise God that he went home on Friday and seems to continue to be improving.

There will be a prayer vigil for Ginny Biada today at 3pm at Living Hope Church in Medina. No sign up necessary just show up to pray. If you can't show up, please keep Ginny in your prayers.

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



Our mission as Brunswick Reformed Church is to see the "love of Jesus transforming lives!" One way we believe this takes place is by helping to provide people with opportunities to receive Jesus' transforming work in their lives through education, leadership training, and life changing experiences. We want to see, and participate in, Christ's Kingdom being established and

growing through the people God is actively drawing to Himself and equipping for ministry. This "Kingdom Builders Fund" provides the opportunity to be intentional in these efforts. When resources are readily available and designated towards this Kingdom cause, we as a church can be much more proactive in our efforts in identifying, inviting, and equipping God's people for present and future Kingdom work!

Ways you can give towards this Kingdom building initiative:

- Give a financial gift in memory/honor of someone who has invested in you spiritually, so that others may receive the blessing of having their spiritual journey invested in by another person as well.
- Sponsor a young person to go to camp, attend a mission trip, or receive training so they might experience Christ's transforming work in their lives at a young age.
- Provide a scholarship/grant to help those who have received a Spiritled call into ministry, that they may pursue this call through higher education.
- Leave a legacy gift, out of an estate, to ensure future opportunities for leadership development & spiritual growth for those who God will call and equip for ministry long after we are gone.

All financial gifts given to this fund will go directly to individuals who the leaders of BRC identify as meeting the criteria of this Kingdom building initiative. If you wish to give to a specific area, you may do so, but rest assured that your contribution is investing in the future and well-being of the Church.

1 Peter 2:5 – "You yourselves like living stones are being built up as a spiritual house, to be a holy priesthood, to offer spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ."

Let us be these living stones that lay a foundation for which the house of God is continually being built upon!

Welcome to Worship!
Today's Order of Worship
*Heart Preparation
*Time of Praise
*Prayer
*Message
*Announcements/Prayer Concerns/ Congregational Prayer
(giving of our offerings)
*Time of Praise
*Benediction/ The Lord's Blessing



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

Communion will be available here at the in-house services. If you plan to watch from

home, please come pick up communion elements during the week Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, or Friday between 10-3pm. Thank you!

Heidelberg Catechism

Question 35. What does it mean that he "was conceived by the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary"?

Answer. That the eternal Son of God, who is and remains true and eternal God, took to himself, through the working of the Holy Spirit, from the flesh and blood of the virgin Mary, a truly human nature so that he might become David's true descendant, like his brothers and sisters in every way except for sin.

What's happening this week-

Today:

- **Worship Service** 9:00am Bible Study, Acts, Red Room 10:00am
- Youth Sunday School, in person in Youth Room 10:00am
- **Worship Service** 11:00am
- Children's Church, kids will be dismissed from 11:15am worship service by the pastor

Tuesday:

6:30pm **REFIT**®, in person outside or fellowship hall

Wednesday:

10:00am Adult Bible Study, Green Room

Thursday:

- 6:30pm **REFIT**®, in person outside or fellowship hall
- Worship team rehearsal 7:15pm

Saturday:

9:00am **REFIT**®, in person outside or fellowship hall Griefshare, Green Room 1:00pm

Thank you to all who helped prepare, who made cookies or pastries, who participated and who helped at the celebration. Bob's celebration of life was awesome. We could not have done it without all of your help. Thank you also for the beautiful planter.

In God's love,

The Hanwell and Welsh Families

We want to praise God that Bob and Joann Besida celebrated 61 years of marriage this last Friday!

Our offering for 8/22/21was \$11,024.15 towards the annual budget. The month-to-date total offering is \$32,452.45. Monthly budget-to-date is \$33,076.92.

What's coming up



*Youth Group Fall Kickoff is Sunday September 12th

*Children's Sunday School classes will



UNITED IN CHRIST Ephesians 2:14

start September 12th for the school year-We are handing out 3rd Grade bibles on this day. Please check your children's information on the class list by Michelle's door

*Men's Renewal September 17th & 18th Register online at: www.FHisG.org



Operation Christmas Child: The plans are under way for this year's Operation Christmas Child season! Along with serving again as a Drop-off Center for OCC during National Collection Week, BRC will again host a shoebox packing party this fall to reach as many children as possible. At this point we are collecting unused, wrapped bars of soap, with a goal of 400!

Donations can be placed in the OCC container across from the kitchen. Thank you in advance for all your help!