

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 December 19, 2021

Lead Pastor- Dan Toot Associate Pastor- Jay Carroll

Worship Services

Sunday 9am & 11am • In-person & Online

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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.



Please continue to keep the Taddeo and Wilhelm families in your prayers after the death of Charles Wilhelm this past Monday.

Please keep the Biada Family in your prayers as Ginny passed away on Thursday.

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.





REACT Student Ministries.... For Sunday, December 19th

Youth Group tonight-movie night 6-8pm!



Tonight we are having a movie night from 6-8pm. Youth Group is also joining. Parents are welcome to leave their kids and spend some time shopping or just enjoying some free time. Of course parents are also welcome to stay for the movie but please RSVP as well.

There will be pizza and drinks and popcorn! We will be showing a brand new Christmas movie.

If you haven't signed up yet, please RSVP for anyone who is staying to watch the movie on the Signup Genius asap so we can make sure we plan enough for everyone. Thank you!

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080B4BA4AA22A3FB6-121921

Please note: In order to help prevent the spread of germs, we ask that each family bring a blanket for their family/group to sit on.



Our offering for 12/12/21 was \$6,270.55 towards the annual budget. The month-to-date total offering is \$15,206.96. Monthly budget-to-date is \$16,538.46.

Welcome to 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



Heidelberg Catechism

Question 37. What do you understand by the word "suffered"?

Answer. That during his whole life on earth, and especially at the end, Christ sustained in body and soul the anger of God against the sin of the whole human race.

This he did in order that, by his suffering as the only atoning sacrifice, he might set us free, body and soul, from eternal condemnation, and gain for us God's grace, righteousness, and eternal life.

What's happening this week-

Today:

9:00am Worship Service

10:00am Bible Study, Acts, Red Room

11:00am Worship Service

11:15am Children's Sunday School

(dismissed from service by pastor)

6:00pm Movie Night

Monday:

6:00pm **Deacons Meeting**, Red Room

7:00pm Consistory Meeting, Green Room

Tuesday:

6:30pm No REFIT®, resumes Jan 4th

Wednesday:

9:30am No Titus 2 Women's Study, resumes Jan5th 10:00am Morning small group study, Green Room

Thursday:

6:30pm No REFIT®, resumes Jan 4th

7:00pm Worship Team practice

Friday:

7:00pm & 11:00pm Christmas Eve service with communion

The new Words of Hope devotionals for January and offering envelopes for next year are available on a table in the fellowship area.

If you want offering envelopes but didn't order them earlier in the year, please contact Michelle Morgan.

And just a reminder, if you are giving a year end gift to the church it needs to be here by Dec 31st, not in the mail.



Our Christmas Eve services for this year are Friday at 7pm and 11pm.

The services will have great Christmas music, Communion, and another great sermon about the Old Testament prophecies of Jesus. We look forward to seeing you on Friday.



Next Sunday December 26th, we are having one service at 10am for the whole family.

This will be a regular Sunday service and we will have some special music performances from our Sunday School kids.

All are welcome to dress down and wear church appropriate pjs if you want, but of course you don't have to.