



# Brunswick Reformed Church

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



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!

**Sunday December 18, 2022**

Lead Pastor- Dan Toot

Associate Pastor- Jay Carroll

Worship Services

Sunday 9am & 10:45am • 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 Connection Card** - These can be dropped in the offering boxes or you can scan the QR code and fill it out online. 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 a yellow prayer 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 :**      **[brunswickreformed.church](http://brunswickreformed.church)**



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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.



For more details and prayer concerns, see our eprayer emails. If you do not receive these and would like to, please email Michelle Morgan at [michelle@b-r-c.org](mailto:michelle@b-r-c.org) to be added to the list.



Our offering for 12/11/22 was \$9,890.62 towards the annual budget.  
The month-to-date total offering is \$20,247.03  
Monthly budget-to-date is \$17,770.00



Donations of lights and extension cords help support the Cleveland Metroparks Zoo's conservation efforts for lion and cheetahs. Donated lights and extension cords will be recycled and useful metals repurposed. All proceeds from this metal

repurposing are donated to the Zoo's Future for Wildlife partner Lion Landscapes. In 2021, Ruaha Carnivore Project and Lion Landscapes joined forces in an effort to build more collaborative conservation. Under the new, combined organization name of Lion Landscapes, researchers and scientists work in key landscapes of Tanzania, Kenya, and Zambia to conserve lion populations and other large carnivores. Their mission is to achieve successful human carnivore coexistence by empowering local communities, and to develop effective strategies for long term carnivore conservation. They aim to reduce the costs and improve the benefits associated with wildlife, particularly carnivores, on village land, and directly engage and empower local people in conservation. Learn more Here: [www.lionlandscapes.org](http://www.lionlandscapes.org)

If you wish to help, there is a box in the fellowship area at BRC to recycle your Christmas lights and extension cords. If you have further questions, contact the Sensibas.



The church offices will be closed December 26-31. Both Pastor Dan and Pastor Jay will be on vacation . Michelle will be checking emails and voicemail on a regular basis if you need anything.

Also, any contributions for 2022 need to be at BRC or processed online by Saturday December 31st. Thank you.

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 2.** What must you know to live and die in the joy of this comfort?

**Answer.**

Three things: first, how great my sin and misery are; second, how I am set free from all my sins and misery; third, how I am to thank God for such deliverance.

## What's happening this week-

### Today:

9:00am **Worship Service**  
10:30am **Pilgrim's Progress class**, Green Room  
10:45am **Worship Service**  
11:00am **Children's Sunday School**, kids are singing at end of both services, will be in Sunday School between

### Thursday:

7:15pm **Worship Team practice**, sanctuary

### Saturday:

4:00pm **Christmas Eve Service**  
7:00pm **Christmas Eve Service**



**CHRISTMAS EVE**  
4PM & 7PM  
**CANDLELIGHT & COMMUNION**  
(NURSERY AVAILABLE)



**"COME AS YOU ARE"**  
**CHRISTMAS DAY**  
**ONE COMBINED SERVICE 10AM**  
(NURSERY AVAILABLE)



**NEW YEAR'S DAY**  
**SERVICES 9AM & 10:45AM**  
**COMMUNION SUNDAY**



Thank you to Audrey Nixon (9am) and Eddie Bardwell (10:45) for lighting our Advent candles today!



If you would like to volunteer to ring the bell at Giant Eagle for the Salvation Army this year, please call **Judy at 330-760-1623** to schedule a slot. There are open times through Christmas Eve. Thank you for volunteering!

# REACT

Christ's action produces our reaction

## REACT TEENS

**Today- Christmas Party 6pm**

**Saturday- Breakfast at the Morgan's 10am-12pm!**

**For more information, see David and Kayley**



Our offering for Christmas Eve will be going to the RCA Global Mission Gift of Hope campaign. You can give to those around the world in many different ways. Use the QR Code for more information.

There are envelopes on the bulletin table that you can use to specify your gift if you would like (please write your name on the envelope as well). Or, if you do not care to specify, you can just give as Christmas Eve offering.

