### **Brunswick Reformed Church** 3535 Grafton Road Brunswick, Ohio 44212 (330) 225-5475



BRC - Where th love of Jesus is transforming lives....

Ministers: Worship & Christian Education The Congregation Sunday 9:00 & 10:30 a.m.

Pastors:

Dan Toot Jay Carroll

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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 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. Stop by our Welcome Center for more information about Brunswick Reformed Church!

9. 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. You will find our calling, mission and core value statements on the back of this bulletin.

## **April 30, 2017**

Welcome to worship.

Thank you to the worship team for leading us in worship through music.

Sunday: 9:00 a.m. Worship service

9:00 a.m.: "Christianity and World Religions: Wrestling with Questions People Ask." Meeting in Room 8

10:30 a.m.: Worship Service

10:45 a.m.: Sunday School classes for Pre-K through 5th Grade

Blood pressure checks will be available in Pastor Dan's office between services.

### **REACT Student Ministries.....**

For Sunday, April 30



9:00 a.m.: Middle School & High School Sunday school class meets in Room 10.

Today the youth group will be going to the Indians game, leaving shortly after the second service. Tickets have already been bought for those who have told David they are going, but if you have not, please talk to David and we will see if we can get an extra ticket. Cost is \$10 and we plan to return around 4:30 p.m.

Also, next week will be our LAST YOUTH GROUP! I know it's sad, but we will continue to do some fun things throughout the summer! Especially the mission trip and camp, which there is still time to sign up for! The end of year party will be from 12-2 p.m.

#### THIS WEEK:

Monday: Grief Share Meets from 7-9 pm in Room 8.

Monday: Elders meet at 7:30 p.m., Room 1.

Tuesday: Potter's Workshop meets at 6:30 pm, in Room 5-6, studying the book of *Esther*.

Wednesday: Passion Pursuit meets 9:15-11:15 am in Room 5-6

Wednesday: Women of Wisdom & Men's Bible study, 10 am-noon, Room 8, *Christianity & World Religions* 

Wednesday Connections: 6:30-8:00 p.m.

Wednesday: Passion Pursuit meets 6:30-8 pm in Room 5-6

Thursday: God's Friends Forever, 6:30-8 p.m.

Thursday: Worship Team rehearsal, 7:15-8:30 p.m.

Friday: Shining Stars meet at 1:30 p.m., studying Job

Saturday: Refit® from 9-10 a.m. in the Fellowship Area.

# VBS for this year is scheduled for June 12th-16th

If you are interested in helping in any way there will be a volunteer sign-up table in the fellowship hall today after both services or see Pastor Jay for any questions.

*Mark your calendar:* There will be a meeting for all nursery volunteers & anyone interested in getting involved in the nursery in some different ways after church Sunday, May 21. Please plan to attend that meeting if you are involved in our nursery ministry

**SWAT** (Servants Willing And Temporary) teams: Renew Church Cleveland invites us to worship with them at their preview services 10 am, on May 14, June 18, July 23, August 20 and September 17, at Newton D Baker School, 3690 W 159t St., Cleveland.

**Prayer Concerns:** Dick Read has been hospitalized this week with a variety of issues. Bill Bumford and Gini Reinke are both home from the hospital. Continue faithful in prayer for those with ongoing health concerns: Wendell Blauser, Marie Buser, Rick Demeter, Margie Draiss, Sue Exoo, Jeanette Fagan, Nancy & Bob Hanwell, Zak Harbaugh, Flora Kostyak, Rose & Bob Murray, Eileen Raich, Gene Shuster, Milly Sutherland, Nancy Sutton, Ted Szenger, Mary Trzop and Dave Toom. Continue to pray for our military personnel.

Please check the hallway shelves. Do any of the dishes or other items belong to you?

Our offering last Sunday totaled \$5914.00 (\$8452.04 needed for budget).

To get a cd of any of our sermons, simply write "cd" and the requested date on your Welcome Card. The sermon audio files, sermon outlines, study questions, verses and bulletins are available on the church website <a href="https://www.b-r-c.org">www.b-r-c.org</a>.

Dear BRC,

A massive thank you to all who supported our, Into the Light walk, on Sunday, either by donations or walking with us at the zoo.

It was overwhelming to see so many youth there; what a testimony to the great work being done by families, youth workers and our youth director, David Morgan. Parents didn't just send their children, they showed up and walked with them.

We raised, as a team, \$900 and for the entire walk, LifeAct raised close to \$100k.

Family is not always biological and this was witnessed by our BRC family on Sunday.

Again, a heartfelt thank you. What, was a hard evening for us, was turned into a celebration of hope.

Be proud of yourselves, young people, you are doing just what Jesus asked of us. "Living the love of Jesus, every day."

Matthew's family,

Steve and Margaret Zapotechne, Rachael Sebastian (Matthew's mother.)

The Belgic Confession Article 10a The Deity of Christ

We believe that Jesus Christ, according to his divine nature, is the only Son of God— eternally begotten, not made or created, for then he would be a creature.

He is one in essence with the Father; coeternal; the exact image of the person of the Father and the "reflection of God's glory," being like the Father in all things. Serving at BRC:

Sunday, April 23

Greeters (9) - Jim & Donna Gates

(10:30) - Carol Rounds

Nursery (9) - Steph Beck or Krista Caruth

(10:30) - Cheryl Wright, Madison Haynes

Ushers (9) - Nick Virzi, Mel Wilk

Assisting - Paul Buser, Mike Pasko

(10:30) - Gary Brualdi, Scott Epperson

Assisting - Ilze Fultz, Patty Walker

Hospitality Team - Bill & Nancy Sutton

-Patty Carroll, Donna Cook

Elder - Mark Herbert

Deacon - Luke Carlisle

Sunday, April 30

Greeters (9) - Dennis Parker

(10:30) - Mark Herbert

Nursery (9) - Steph Beck or Krista Caruth

(10:30) - Kristin Toot, Maddie Cook

Ushers (9) - Paul Buser, Mike Pasko

Assisting - Earl Gentile, Dick Sensiba

(10:30) - Ilze Fultz, Patty Walker

Assisting - Steve Dickens, Pete Nixon

Hospitality Team - Bill & Nancy Sutton

-Rick & Sharon Meyer, Jaime Coyne

Elder - Betty Shuster, Deacon - Paul Buser

Sunday, May 7

Greeters (9) - Mel & Renate Wilk

(10:30) - Jim & Eileen Smalley

Nursery (9) - Steph Beck or Krista Caruth

(10:30) - Melissa Fazekas, Alexis Metcalf

Ushers (9) - Earl Gentile, Dick Sensiba

Assisting - Bob Jacobs, Dennis Parker

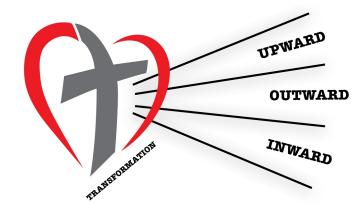
(10:30) - Steve Dickens, Pete Nixon

Assisting - Bob Besida, Eric Kramer

Hospitality Team - Bill & Nancy Sutton

-Guy & Candice Lenart, Deb Reichle

Elder - Rick Meyer, Deacon - Pete Nixon



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!

