

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!

Ministers:

The Congregation

Pastors:

Dan Toot

Jay Carroll

Worship & Christian Education

Sunday 9:00 & 10:30 a.m.

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 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. 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.

SERVING AT BRC

Sunday, October 15

Greeters (9) – Gina Koch

(10:30) - Jim & Eileen Smalley

Nursery (9) – as needed

(10:30) – Sandy Goots, Ashley Kramer

Ushers (9) – Nick Virzi, Mel Wilk

Assisting – Paul Buser, Mike Pasko

(10:30) - Bob Besida, Eric Kramer

Assisting – Kenny Wright, Mark Herbert

Hospitality Team - Bill & Nancy Sutton

-Rick & Sharon Meyer, Patty Carroll

Elder - Mark Herbert

Deacon - Luke Carlisle

Sunday, October 22

Greeters (9) – Gina Koch

(10:30) – Ilze Fultz

Nursery (9) – as needed

(10:30) – Cheryl Carlisle, Madison Haynes

Ushers (9) – Paul Buser, Mike Pasko

Assisting - Bob Jacobs, Dennis Parker

(10:30) - Kenny Wright, Mark Herbert

Assisting – Carol Rounds, Bonnie Ansel

Hospitality Team - Bill & Nancy Sutton

-Guy & Candice Lenart, Deb Reichle

Elder – Betty Shuster

Deacon –Paul Buser

Sunday, October 29

Greeters (9) – Marilyn Zeigler

(10:30) – Carol Rounds

Nursery (9) – as needed

(10:30) – Cheryl Wright, Sami Coyne

Ushers (9) – Bob Jacobs, Dennis Parker

Assisting - Eric Raich, Earl Holzheimer

(10:30) - Carol Rounds, Bonnie Ansel

Assisting – Ilze Fultz, Gary Brualdi

Hospitality Team - Bill & Nancy Sutton

-Betty Shuster, Cindy Toom

Elder – Rick Meyer

Deacon –Pete Nixon

To get a cd of any of our sermons, simply write "cd" and the requested date on your Welcome Card. You'll find your requested cds on the shelf across from the kitchen. The sermon audio files, sermon outlines, study questions, verses, and bulletins are available on the church website www.b-r-c.org.



Prayer Concerns:

Please continue prayers for Margaret Zapotechne. Her surgery was completed on Wednesday. The specimen sent to pathology was positive for cancer, so the right upper lobe was removed. almost 40% of right lung. Lymph nodes still need to be tested and will take a day or so to determine, so we will know before discharge if it was truly limited or spread. (Dr. states 95-97% will be negative) So this a great result. She is expected to be released from the hospital this weekend.

Prayers and Praise! Baby Amelia Eileen Strouse was born on October 11th, 3lb 14 oz to proud parents Ben and Sasha Strouse. Amelia needed a heart catheterization for better oxygen exchange but breathing tubes and feeding tubes are now removed. Please keep praying for good health!

Continue faithful in prayer for those with ongoing health concerns: Marie Buser, Rick Demeter, Emerson Draiss, Sue Exoo, Jeanette Fagan, Nancy & Bob Hanwell, Zak Harbaugh, Rose Murray, Eileen Raich, Gini Reinke, Dick Read, Gene Shuster, Nancy Sutton, and Ted Szenger. Continue to pray for our military personnel.



Community Services Center: Soon the weather will be getting cold. Please keep the under privileged in mind! Blankets, sheets, comforters, towels, washcloths, etc. are in great need. Also we didn't get much response on shoes, socks and underwear. They are always needed. Thank you! A bin is on the Secret Sister shelf.



Welcome to worship!

Order of Worship

- *Heart Preparation
- *Time of Praise
- *Recite catechism/ confession/ creed
- *Announcements (children dismissed by pastor at this time during 10:30 service)
- *Time of Praise (giving of our offerings)
- *Prayer
- *Message
- *Prayer Concerns/ Congregational Prayer
- *Time of Praise
- *Doxology/ Benediction/ The Lord's Blessing

The Heidelberg Catechism Question

Question 125. What does the fourth request mean?

Answer. *"Give us today our daily bread"* means:

Do take care of all our physical needs so that we come to know that you are the only source of everything good, and that neither our work and worry nor your gifts can do us any good without your blessing. And so help us to give up our trust in creatures and to put trust in you alone.

Sunday October 15, 2017

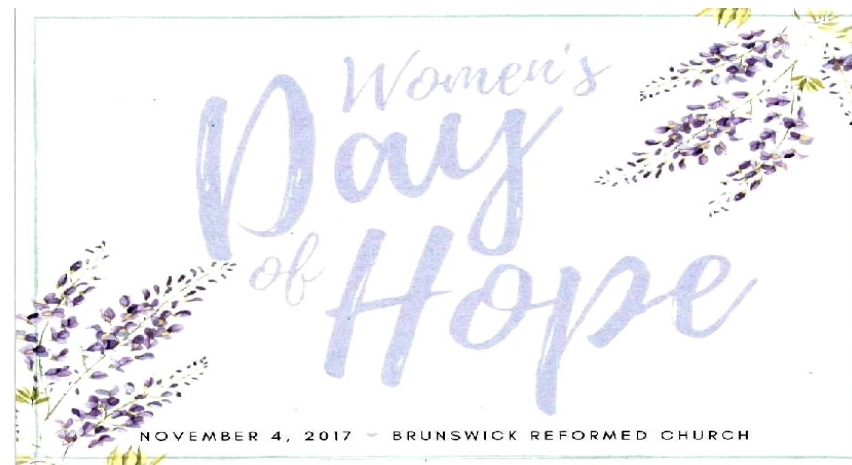
- 9:00 am: Worship service
- 9:00 am.: *Multiply* discipleship study, Green Room
- 9:00 am: Middle and High School Sunday School in the Youth Room
- 10:30 am.: Worship Service
- 10:45 am.: Children's Sunday School for Pre-K through 5th Grade
- 12:00 pm: Next Steps Class, Red Room
- 6:00 pm: *Home Grown* parents small group, office meeting room



It's not too late to become a mentor! There will be a training here at BRC tomorrow on Oct 16th 4:30pm-7:30pm.

If you can't be a mentor, we are also looking for people to Adopt-a-Staff at Towslee. Please visit the table where you will be able to choose a person to write to, pray for and encourage during this school year. Please give a personal note or card each month and place it in the "Adopt Towslee" box on the shelf.

Adopt-a-Staff



Ladies are you looking for a day to rejuvenate yourselves? A time to come worship with a group of women?

Come join us On November 4th for a Women's Day of Hope! All are welcome! The Women's Day of Hope is an event for all ladies ages 18 and older from 9am-4pm.

Ginger Taddeo (our guest speaker) will be talking in 3 sessions. Session topics will include Treasuring your scars, Freedom of forgiveness, and Seeing ourselves as Christ sees us.

A light breakfast and a Chick-Fil-A lunch will be provided.

Register online at www.b-r-c.org. Cost is \$15. Doors open at 8:30am.

Please stop at the ministry table in the fellowship area to find out more information or to register!



Love INC
Love In the Name of Christ

Interested in learning more about Love INC and their ministry? BRC is sponsoring a table at the 6th Annual Fundraiser Banquet "Italian Night" on Saturday November 4th from 6:00pm-8:15pm at Northside Christian Church.

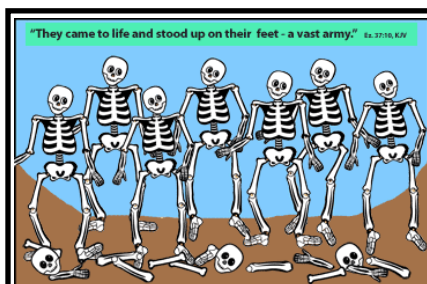
If you would like to attend, please let Pastor Dan know and he will put you on the list!



October 31st marks the 500th Anniversary of the Protestant Reformation!

The Reformation is one of our ministry highlights for the month of October, so let's celebrate our heritage and ask God to lead us into the future He has for us as a church that continues to reform itself around the teachings of the Word of God!

Come participate in our 500th Anniversary Celebration of the Reformation on Sunday October 29th where we will be watching the movie "Luther" together!



On Tuesday October 31st from 5:30-8:30 we will be doing a Drive Thru Trick-r-Treating event here at the church. We are in need of candy and props for this event. If you could donate some candy and appropriate Halloween decorations for this that would be much appreciated. Our theme is the Valley of the Dry Bones

so skeleton decorations, black lights, tombstones, etc would be great!

Please bring donations in by Sunday October 22nd!
Thank you for your support!

THIS WEEK:

- Monday: **GriefShare**, meets from 7-9 p.m., Green Room
- Tuesday: **Potter's Workshop** meets 6:30pm-studying Nehemiah and Malachi, Red Room
- Wednesday: **Women of Wisdom**, current study called *Moses in the Footsteps of the Reluctant Prophet* 10am-12pm, Green Room
- Men's Sermon based small group**, 10am-12pm, Blue Room
- Titus 2 Women's Bible Study**, 9:30am-11:15am, Red Room, with childcare
- Sermon based small group**, 6:30pm-8pm, Green Room
- Thursday: **Bible study on the book of John**, 9:30am –11:00am Red Room
- Children of the World Concert**, 6:30pm
- Worship Team rehearsal**, after concert
- Friday: **Shining Stars** meet at Southwest Commons at 1:30 p.m., studying *Deuteronomy*
- Saturday: **REFIT®** from 9-10 a.m. in the fellowship area

Sermon-based questions are available in the fellowship area and on the website

Our offering last Sunday totaled \$6,397.00 (\$8452.04 needed for budget).



REACT Student Ministries.....

For Sunday, October 15th

9:00 a.m. Sunday School in the Youth Room
NO Youth Group Tonight!

JUDGEMENT[®] HOUSE

Real People. Real Choices. Real Consequences.

**Oct 22 Judgment House
5-9pm meeting at BRC**

Judgment house is a walk-through play in Hudson, OH that we've gone to many different times. They always have a different scenario and it shows

students in a relatable way the reality of life after death and the importance of evangelism and living each day for Christ.



Oct 29 Halloween Costume Party 6-8pm

Once again we will be having a costume party for Halloween while Malone University students take over youth group! This is a great opportunity to meet some new people and to see what Malone as a college has to offer.

REFIT[®] believes that the heart is more than a muscle. The focus is on community and building relationships. We dance, we laugh, we focus on a positive, no judgement environment, and we definitely SWEAT! REFIT[®] is for every body! Saturday mornings 9am here at BRC!

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R E V O L U T I O N

REFIT[®] is a life-changing group fitness experience that rocks your body, heart, and soul with powerful moves and positive music, to inspire you from the inside out. Powered by human connections, we turn boring, "have-to" workouts into a "can't-miss" community fitness experience! REFIT classes propel students to their best selves through dance, toning, balance and flexibility. Our easy-to-follow formula is perfect for both beginners and fitness enthusiasts, with workouts designed for everybody and every body—regardless of age, shape, size or ability.



**THURSDAY OCT 19TH 6:30PM-
FREE EVENT!**

As part of its 2017-2018 tour, **World Help** is proud to present *Children of the World International Children's Choir*! The Choir is composed of fourteen children from the countries of Nepal, Uganda, Honduras and the Philippines, and they come to us from just a handful of the children homes supported by **World Help**.

Children of the World Choir began in 2000 out of a desire to share the untold story of millions of orphaned and disadvantaged children around the world. They have since performed in such venues as Brooklyn

Tabernacle, Focus on the Family and Disney World, and have also recorded with Michael Tate and Steven Curtis Chapman.

The Choir represents a rich and culturally diverse set of backgrounds and experiences, each with an urgent story to tell. Through the powerful mediums of song, dance, and creative media, *Children of the World Choir* presents the staggering realities of poverty, but also the hope of change through advocacy, investment and true compassion in action. The 2017-2018 tour will focus on raising funds for refugees.



THANK YOU!

Thank you everybody who contributed to the Chili Cook-Off either by making chili, donating by voting, or both! Your contribution to our youth trip to Genesis is greatly appreciated! We were able to raise over \$878 which will decrease the cost for our students to go to this great youth conference.

Thanks again! - David