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8372 St. Rt. 61 (South of Galion)

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9:00 am Sunday school 10:00am Praise & Worship

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6:00 - 8:00 pm Sunday evenings "R.O.C." Jr./Sr. High Youth Group

**Reign Forest Youth** Group (ages 1<sup>st</sup> thru 6 grades) @ OACC. Every other Wednesday (6:00 - 7:30) Specific Details inside.

### **MINISTER**

Currently looking for the right person.

## YOUTH MINISTER

**Brian Peterson** 419.571.0839

### ELDERS

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## Welcome to **Open Arms Christian Church**

We exist to praise God; win people to Jesus Christ; encourage each other; to reach out to those in need; and to stand for Christian virtues in our community. (See Matthew 28:19-20; I Thessalonians 5:11; James 1:27; Matthew 5:14-16)

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# **December 8. 2013**

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# A Special Note to Our Visitors...

- Welcome with OPEN ARMS! We're glad you came to worship with us ۷ today! We hope you will grow closer to God through our service. If you have questions about our church, our leaders listed to the left will be happy to help. We hope you'll worship with us again soon!
- Just before communion, Children ages 0-3 yrs. can join our nursery and children ages 4 vrs. to 6th grade are welcome to join in REIGNFOREST Junior Church.
- Join us for elementary, middle school, Jr. /Sr. High, and adult Sunday school classes from 9-9:45 am!
- All Christians are welcome to take **communion**. We hold the ¥ communion until all are served, think about the meaning of communion, and partake together as a family.
- The 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of each month is celebrated at Open Arms with donuts, laughter, fun & a children's message
- WARNING...You may get hugged at Open Arms Christian ¥ Church!

### Opening Prayer Announcements

- The practice for the Children's Christmas Program has begun, and will be meeting every Wednesday.
- Outreach is holding a community present drive for the needy families in the area.
- OASIS Christmas Party at the Miracles house starting at 6 o'clock. All Opan Arms ladies invited. Please bring a finger food or dessert, there will be a final secret sister exchange and a wrapped mystery gift of ten dollars or less.
- Young at Heart will have a white elephant gift exchange on Dec. 12<sup>th</sup>. Please contact Barb at 419-946-2284.
- There will be a Building and Grounds meeting Dec. 11<sup>th</sup> at 6pm.
- There will be a work day at the church starting at 8am Decemeber 14<sup>th</sup> bring a covered dish and christmas snacks!
- Thank you to all the Journey volunteers!

### Offering

Reign Forest Group Dismissed: All Age Groups Devotion and Prayer: Les Wenger Servers: Al Heilman M. Heilman V. Kunze D. Leonhard L. Miller

Next week Devotion: Brian Peterson Servers: E. Sickmiller B. Trimble D. VanHorn J. Walker J. Wenger

**COMMUNION:** All Christians are welcome to join us in communion. If you will hold the bread and cup until all are served, we will partake together as a family.

#### **Message-Brian Peterson**

Invitation

**Closing prayer** 

## **PRAYER LISTS**

**COLLEGE:** Lindsey K. Barth, Donovan Crisp, Paul Gladden, Rosie Heilman, Sammi Heilman Daniel McCarthy, Jedd Neer, Ashby Welch, Allyson Wert, Taylor Yeater, Ronnie Thomas, Julie Hykes, and Jordan Hykes, Morgan Bidwell (Becky Kunze's granddaughter) Taylor Brubaker, Hannah Jones.

**MILITARY:** Lindsey K. Barth, Isaac Kunze, Dan Manley (*Afghanistan*), Andrew Seymour, Cameron Welsh, Jacob Welsh, Seth Weaver (Croatia), Nathaniel Maglott, Jedd Neer, Tony Bently (navy).

**HEALTH**: Carissa Plough, Diane Fulk, Ann Cass, Diana Doyle, Al, Heilman Sr., Marian Peterson, Clyde Perkins, Bonnie Wiseman, Shane Heilman, Rick and John (Becky Kunze's brothers) Robin and Dave Lester.

**MISSIONS:** Bruce & Mabel Calendar (*Ireland/ USA*); Melvin & Sharon Kelly; Jerry & Mildred Peterson (*Bible Basics Int'l Honduras*); Morrow County Prison Ministries; Gideon's International; Habitat for Humanity, Heartbeat of Morrow County

\*\*\* **If you have requests for the bulletin** call/text Sammi Heilman at 419-989-7490 or email at heilman.77@osu.edu. Please send requests by 5 p.m. Friday night.

## Prayer Requests

- Please make sure to thank Kelly P., Carol S., Renee, and all those involved with Journey To Bethelehem! It was a wonderful experience!
- Please continue to pray for Amy Reeder's sister, Jenny. Her PET scan showed a few hot spots so they
  are going to do more biopsies to rule everything out.
- Please pray for Kristy Lawson's friend's father. He was just diagnosed with lung cancer, and will also have to go to the hosptial Monday to get his heart shocked.
- Please pray for Alana and Nathaniel who had a healthy baby boy, Gabriel on December 6, 2013.

**If your prayer request needs** <u>immediate</u> **prayer**, please call/text Sammi Heilman 419-989-7490 or Tara Shaum 419.564.2083 to be placed on the prayer chain.

### Prayer family of the week: Maglotts

Nathaniel and Alana and new baby Gabriel

### Missionary of the Month: Morrow County Prison Ministry

This month: December Greeters: The Wengers Communion: Volunteers Cards: Volunteers

8 All Dismissed	9	10	11 Christmas Rehearsal Building and Grounds Meeting at 6pm.	12 Young at Heart: White Elephant Exchange	13	14 Work Day starting at 8am. Bring food and snacks!
15 Junior Church and Nursery Dismissed	16	17	18 Christmas Rehearsal	19	20	21
16 All age groups dismissed.	17	18	19 Christmas Rehersal	20	21	22