

*Meeting at:*

8372 St. Rt. 61  
(south of Galion)

### **SUNDAYS**

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

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

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

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*Welcome to*

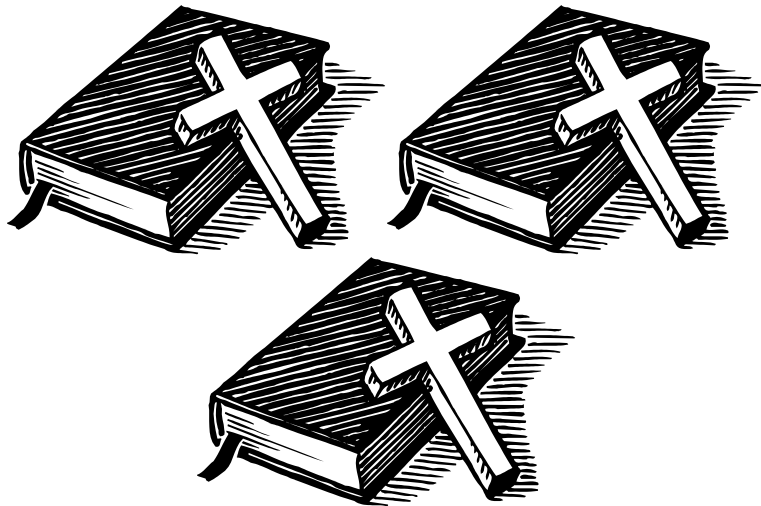
# **Open Arms Christian Church**

**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)*

*www.openarmscc.org*

## **July 21, 2013**



- ♥ **Welcome with OPEN ARMS!** We're glad that you came to worship with us today! We hope you will be able to 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 yrs. to 6<sup>th</sup> 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. This allows all of us to 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:**

Looking for volunteers to help!

### **Offering**

### **Devotion and Prayer:**

**Brian Peterson**

**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:**

**Birt Scott**

### **Invitation**

### **Closing Prayer**



### **Prayer family of the week:**

*The Pletcher Family:*

*Ben had surgery and later this week the whole family will be traveling. May they have a safe journey, and Ben a quick recovery!*

## **PRAYER LISTS**

**COLLEGE:** Lindsey K. Barth, Logan Bell, Mason Brocwell, Donovan Crisp, Paul Gladden, Rosie Heilman, Daniel McCarthy, Jedd Neer, Ashby Welch, Allyson Wert, Taylor Yeater, Ronnie Thomas

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

**HEALTH:** Carissa Plough, Diane Fulk, Ann Cass, Diana Doyle, Marian Peterson, Clyde Perkins, Bonnie Wiseman, Shane Heilman

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

**\*\*\* If you have requests for the bulletin**

call/text Sammi Heilman 419-989-7490.

Please send requests by 5 p.m. Friday.

**If your prayer request needs immediate**

**prayer**, please call/text Tammy Pletcher 419.610.7006 or Tara Shaum 419.564.2083 to be placed on the prayer chain. (*or if you would like to receive prayer chain calls or texts*)

### **Missionary of the Month:**

*John & Tricia Fraser (Hungary)*

## **Praise & Prayer Request**

- ♥ Please keep Shannon Lilly and family in your prayers. Her grandmother Shirley Norman passed away.
- ♥ Please keep Ben Pletcher in your prayers. He had an inflamed and neurotic appendix. His surgery went well, and let's pray he has a swift recovery!
- ♥ Please pray for Nelda and Dick Spore. Dick has cancer, and is on bed rest. Nelda fell on Wednesday and broke her hip. She then had surgery on Thursday.
- ♥ Please pray for Candy's friend B.J. she has another breast cancer and will be undergoing a double mastectomy in a few weeks.
- ♥ Let's give a big round of applause to Leeann Shirley for doing a GREAT job with the bulletin! Thank you Leeann!
- ♥ Let's also send a huge thank you to Lisa Miracle for doing the schedules, for the various duties throughout OACC!

# ANNOUNCEMENTS



## CALENDAR

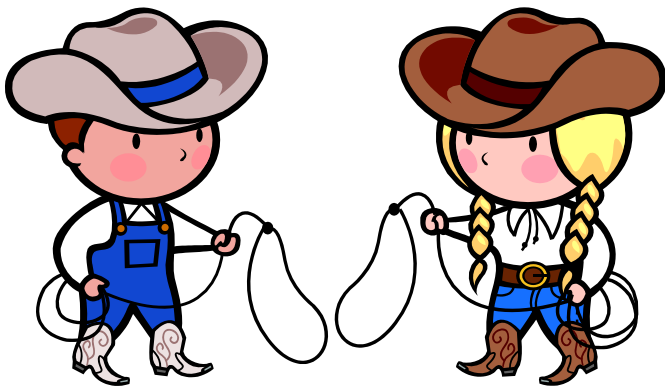
### EVENTS!!!

\*\*\* July 21<sup>st</sup> – Worship meeting after church

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\*\*\* July 25<sup>th</sup> – Work day @ flying horse farms.  
Please see Heather Lower for more information.

\*\*\* July 28<sup>th</sup> – Please wear cowboy/girl clothes.  
This is the opening day for VBS!!!!



\*\*\* Thursday, August 1<sup>st</sup>--- we are in need of cookies, and brownies for the close of VBS.



\*\*\* ALL: We have a sister among us who does independent outreach with products that she gets by using coupons. If you find yourself with coupons you can't use or you would just like to help, please clip away. There will be a box in the back of the sanctuary marked for coupons.

\*\*\* Pizza with the Pastors: If you are relatively new to OACC then please sign up for Pizza with the Pastors! Or you can talk to the Pastors or their wives about having pizza with Brian, Rachael, Tammy, Ben and their families to get to know them and ask any questions regarding the church.



\*\*\* **Relay for Life:** Open Arms Christian Church will be putting together a Relay for life team. If you would like to be a part of the team please see Kelly Pfleiderer. Registration forms will be forth coming as well as directions for online sign ups. If you don't want to walk but would like to help other ways please let Kelly Pfleiderer know. We need to have at least 15 people signed up.

\*\*\* Please say a big **THANK YOU** to all those who were able to help with the Work Day Saturday the 20<sup>th</sup>! And an extra big thanks goes to Jeremy Shaum for helping create an amazing space!

*Check out some of the great work everyone did!  
And if you would like to see more find us on Facebook at:*

<https://www.facebook.com/pages/Open-Arms-Christian-Church/125361084188844>

*Or just search Open Arms Christian Church!*

