



MAKING JESUS KNOWN – TOGETHER.

January 30th, 2022

Sunday's 10:00am – inside OR watch livestream
Children's Ministry (*birth – 6th grade*) available

Welcome/Prayer	Pastor John
Songs to God	Worship Team
<i>** 5th-6th grade leave for class – last room on left in Education Wing</i>	
Bible Teaching	Pastor Kevin
Song of Reflection	Worship Team

Please wear masks at all times unless seated & respect the space of others.

Special Upcoming Opportunities

DISCOVERING OPEN ARMS LUNCHEON: February 27 - 11:30-2:30pm
Discover our heartbeat, values, history, & core beliefs. Learn how to connect with others & grow in your walk with God. A pre-requisite for membership & serving. Lunch provided. **Enroll in foyer or online.**

WOMEN TEACHING THE WORD WORKSHOP: APRIL 30 - 8:30am-4pm
A regional workshop hosted by Open Arms aimed at equipping women to study and teach the Bible to other women. Learn tested principles on understanding the Bible and practice those skills in small groups with other women using passages from the book of Mark. For more info and to register: **gospeladvancenyc.org**

FALL/WINTER REC SPORTS: A great time to connect and compete:
Men's Basketball – Mondays 7:00–9:00pm - See Mark Obleman
Coed Volleyball – Tuesdays 6:30–8:30pm - See Kevin Ellwood
Children's Playdate – Tuesdays 10:00-12:00am - See Tiffanie Stuitje

Everyday Life at OAC

NEW GUESTS: Please visit the WELCOME BOOTH in cafe after the service today to receive a gift just for you! Be our guest again soon!

GROWTH / CONNECTIONS: Desiring to grow in your faith? Want to connect with others around the life application of God's Word? Let us know how we can support/connect you! *website tab: GROWING*

BAPTISM: Baptism is a special time to celebrate your journey of faith & obedience to Christ. Contact a pastor to tell of your interest.

EVERYBODY SERVES: Let us help you serve the Lord as you serve others; 30+ ways to make a difference! *website tab: REACHING*

PRAYER: Express a prayer need at any time via our website. Join others on **Sundays 9:00-9:40am** and the **2nd & 4th Tuesdays 6:30pm** in the last room on the left in the Edu wing. *website tab: RESOURCES*

GIVING OPTIONS: 1) Drop in offering boxes by worship center doors
2) Check by mail. 3) Utilize e-giving link. *website tab: RESOURCES*

For more information & other opportunities, visit us at:

OpenArmsChurch.com

YouTube openarmschurchnewyork

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The Realities of Spiritual Warfare

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(Scripture on Back)

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^{12:17}Then the dragon became furious with the woman and went off to make war on the rest of her offspring, on those who keep the commandments of God and hold to the testimony of Jesus. And he stood on the sand of the sea.

^{13:1} And I saw a beast rising out of the sea, with ten horns and seven heads, with ten diadems on its horns and blasphemous names on its heads. ²And the beast that I saw was like a leopard; its feet were like a bear's, and its mouth was like a lion's mouth. And to it the dragon gave his power and his throne and great authority. ³One of its heads seemed to have a mortal wound, but its mortal wound was healed, and the whole earth marveled as they followed the beast. ⁴And they worshiped the dragon, for he had given his authority to the beast, and they worshiped the beast, saying, "Who is like the beast, and who can fight against it?"

⁵And the beast was given a mouth uttering haughty and blasphemous words, and it was allowed to exercise authority for forty-two months. ⁶It opened its mouth to utter blasphemies against God, blaspheming his name and his dwelling, that is, those who dwell in heaven. ⁷Also it was allowed to make war on the saints and to conquer them. And authority was given it over every tribe and people and language and nation, ⁸and all who dwell on earth will worship it, everyone whose name has not been written before the foundation of the world in the book of life of the Lamb who was slain. ⁹If anyone has an ear, let him hear: ¹⁰If anyone is to be taken captive, to captivity he goes; if anyone is to be slain with the sword, with the sword must he be slain. Here is a call for the endurance and faith of the saints.

¹¹Then I saw another beast rising out of the earth. It had two horns like a lamb and it spoke like a dragon. ¹²It exercises all the authority of the first beast in its presence, and makes the earth and its inhabitants worship the first beast, whose mortal wound was healed. ¹³It performs great signs, even making fire come down from heaven to earth in front of people, ¹⁴and by the signs that it is allowed to work in the presence of the beast it deceives those who dwell on earth, telling them to make an image for the beast that was wounded by the sword and yet lived. ¹⁵And it was allowed to give breath to the image of the beast, so that the image of the beast might even speak and might cause those who would not worship the image of the beast to be slain. ¹⁶Also it causes all, both small and great, both rich and poor, both free and slave, to be marked on the right hand or the forehead, ¹⁷so that no one can buy or sell unless he has the mark, that is, the name of the beast or the number of its name. ¹⁸This calls for wisdom: let the one who has understanding calculate the number of the beast, for it is the number of a man, and his number is 666.

^{14:1}Then I looked, and behold, on Mount Zion stood the Lamb, and with him 144,000 who had his name and his Father's name written on their foreheads. ²And I heard a voice from heaven like the roar of many waters and like the sound of loud thunder. The voice I heard was like the sound of harpists playing on their harps, ³and they were singing a new song before the throne and before the four living creatures and before the elders. No one could learn that song except the 144,000 who had been redeemed from the earth. ⁴It is these who have not defiled themselves with women, for they are virgins. It is these who follow the Lamb wherever he goes. These have been redeemed from mankind as firstfruits for God and the Lamb, ⁵and in their mouth no lie was found, for they are blameless.

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