

MAKING JESUS KNOWN – TOGETHER.

July 17th, 2022

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

Welcome/Prayer Pastor Josh
Songs to God Worship Team
* 5th-6th graders leave for class (last room on left in Education Wing)
Bible Teaching Pastor John
Song of Reflection Worship Team

Special Upcoming Opportunities

LADIES FELLOWSHIP/ENCOURAGEMENT TIME: Sat July 30th 10:30-1:00pm. Donna Shappy's home: 142 Country Walk Rd, Rotterdam. RSVP (518) 542-0236 to know more, bring a dish/chair. Pools open!

LUNCH(es) ON THE LAWN: 2nd Sun/month (8/14, 9/11). Invite your family, friends, neighbors, & co-workers ... bring a lawn chair to worship outside ... and then stay for food, connection time & fun! **8/14 – Bounce House(s) for kids!** Enjoy sub sandwiches (GF/DF option also available). **Let's Make Jesus Known – Together!**

OUTDOOR VOLLEYBALL: Tuesdays @ 6:30-8:30pm in June & July (weather permitting). Contact Kevin Ellwood: ellwoodkt@gmail.com

Everyday Life at OAC

NEW GUESTS: Please visit the <u>WELCOME BOOTH</u> in the cafe after the service 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 connect/support 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

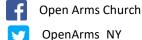
PRAYER: Join with others on Sundays 9-9:40am and/or the 2nd & 4th Tuesdays 6:30pm in the last room on the left in the Education wing.

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

For more information & other opportunities, visit us at:

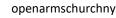
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The Secret of Contentment

Finding joy in Jesus – Philippians 4:10-13 (ESV)

¹⁰I rejoiced in the Lord greatly that now at length you have revived your concern for me. You were indeed concerned for me, but you had no opportunity. ¹¹Not that I am speaking of being in need, for I have learned in whatever situation I am to be content. ¹²I know how to be brought low, and I know how to abound. In any and every circumstance, I have **learned the secret** of facing plenty and hunger, abundance and need. ¹³I can do all things through Him *(Christ)* who strengthens me.

1) Learning to <u>appreciate</u> sacrificial companions. v10

Be <u>careful</u> not to criticize when/if they can't help.

2) Learning to <u>adjust</u> to situational changes. v11-12

Be <u>content</u> in God's providence over you—He's teaching.

3) Learning to <u>abide</u> solely in Christ. v13

Be <u>confident</u> of Christ's strength to help you be content.