

# BELPRES CHURCH

## Facing a Dragon

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<sup>7</sup> Now war arose in heaven, Michael and his angels fighting against the dragon. And the dragon and his angels fought back, <sup>8</sup> but he was defeated, and there was no longer any place for them in heaven. <sup>9</sup> And the great dragon was thrown down, that ancient serpent, who is called the devil and Satan, the deceiver of the whole world—he was thrown down to the earth, and his angels were thrown down with him.

<sup>10</sup> And I heard a loud voice in heaven, saying,  
“Now the salvation and the power and the kingdom of our God and the authority of his Christ have come, for the accuser of our brothers[a] has been thrown down, who accuses them day and night before our God. <sup>11</sup> And they have conquered him by the blood of the Lamb and by the word of their testimony, for they loved not their lives even unto death. <sup>12</sup> Therefore, rejoice, O heavens and you who dwell in them! But woe to you, O earth and sea, for the devil has come down to you in great wrath, because he knows that his time is short!” <sup>13</sup> And when the dragon saw that he had been thrown down to the earth, he pursued the woman who had given birth to the male child.

<sup>17</sup> 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.

Revelation 12:7-13,17 (ESV)

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**Discussion Questions:** Please read Revelation 12:7-17

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1. Within Revelation 12 what other names are given to Satan?
2. Who is being described in Revelation 12:11?
3. In Revelation 12:12 who is rejoicing and why? And who is experiencing woe and why?
4. Who are the two groups referred to in Revelation 12:17? Who might they be referring to in real life?
5. What helped Jesus face the dragon? What helps you/us face the dragon?