

# Sunday, December 10, 2023

Song: I Love to Tell the Story -----screen  
 Welcome  
 ~ Call to Worship ----- Psalm 135:13-21  
 Prayer of Invitation  
 Song: Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silent-----screen  
 Old Testament Reading ----- Ezekiel 31  
 Catechism  
 New Testament Reading ----- 1 Corinthians 2  
 Children’s Sermon  
 Song: Psalm 9b -----screen  
 Prayer of Praise & Confession  
 Scripture of Assurance -----Romans 5:5  
 Song: O Holy Night-----screen  
 Pastoral Prayer  
 Sermon Scripture Reading  
 Meditation  
 Message from God’s Word  
 Psalm 9  
 Silent Reflection/Prayer  
 Lord’s Supper  
 Benediction  
 ~ Doxology -----screen  
 Final Announcements  
 Closing Prayer

# *Song of the Month*

## December 2023

### “Silent Night, Lonely Night”

#### **VERSE 1**

Silent night, lonely night  
 All but calm, all but bright  
 Darkened clouds have hidden God’s face  
 Deepening doubts have veiled His grace  
 Have You heard our cries?  
 Have You heard our cries?

#### **VERSE 2**

Silent night, lonely night  
 Wearied by many trials  
 Clinging to the promise foretold  
 Peace and comfort for our souls  
 Lord, we long for You  
 Lord, we long for You

#### **CHORUS**

Jesus, You entered our night  
 Bore our sorrows, laid down Your life  
 Conquered the darkness and rose up in light  
 All of our hope is in You

#### **VERSE 3**

Silent night, lonely night  
 Yet there’s peace, at Your side  
 Covered by redeeming blood  
 Sheltered in Your arms of love  
 Christ, the Savior is born  
 Christ, the Savior is born

#### **CHORUS**

#### **TAG**

Silent night, holy night  
 All is calm and bright

## Sunday Worship Schedule

Worship: 10a.m.-Noon

Lunch: Noon – 2p.m.

SS/Prayer/Teaching Time: 2p.m.-3p.m.

### On the Calendar .

12-10-23 – Jacob & Becky Loyd prayer shower

01-04-24 – Sword and the Trowel conference

01-14-24 – Carlos & Anneke prayer shower

01-21-24-- Baptism

04-03-24 – Reformed Baptist Family Camp



### Text and Email Communications

If you would like to receive text and/or email communications from West Oaks Baptist, please text the word “Welcome” to 979-202-8040. Add your name and email if you would like to receive occasional emails as well. This is the best way to stay up to date with what is going on at West Oaks!

### Live Stream

You can find our livestream on our...

- 1) Website at <https://www.westoaksbaptist.org/live-stream>
- 2) Or on Roku TV, Fire TV, and Apple TV – download the boxcast app and search for West Oaks Baptist.



## West Oaks Baptist Church



*Let the Word of Christ dwell in us richly!*  
*Colossians 3:16*

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### Communication

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## Prayer List

### Pray for One Another – James 5:16

Issac Loyd

### Pray for Kings and Authorities – 1 Tim. 2:2

Attorney General - Merrick Garland

### Pray for the Great Commission – Matt. 9:37-38

Croatian-speaking Jews in Croatia

Nathan & Rebekah Forbes

WOBC Evangelism Efforts

Heart Cry/Founders/IRBS/DTN

### Pray for Church Leaders - 2 Thess. 3:1

Elders – Shawn Hobson & Joshua Loyd

Deacon – Adam Wells

Other Church Elders & Leaders

-- Thomas Baber - Emmanuel Baptist, Bryan, TX.

-- Matt Vincent - Emmanuel Baptist, Georgetown, TX

### Other Prayer Concerns – Phil. 4:6

Israel-Hamas war

### *Political Prayer Points*

Attorney General - Merrick Garland

**Assumed office:** March 2021

**Married:** Yes

**Children:** 2 daughters

**Religion:** Jewish background

**Job:** The U.S attorney general (AG) leads the department of Justice and is the chief lawyer of the federal government. The AG serves as the principal advisor to the president of the U.S. on all legal matters.

### *Pray for the Nations*

## Jewish, Croatian-speaking in Croatia



Source: Alina Belych - Shutterstock

Population: 1,700  
World Popl: 1,700  
Total Countries: 1  
People Cluster: Jewish  
Main Language: Croatian  
Main Religion: Ethnic Religions  
Status: ● Unreached  
Evangelicals: 0.00%  
Chr Adherents: 1.00%  
Scripture: Complete Bible

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*"Declare his glory among the nations." Psalm 96:3*

### *Ministry Profile*

## Disciple the Nations

Disciple the Nations is a Christian missions agency that seeks to fulfill the Great Commission by making, maturing, and multiplying disciples and establishing biblically faithful churches of all nations for the glory of God. To accomplish our mission, we partner with churches and missionaries to see the church grow and advance throughout the world. DTN started in 2019 with a small group of Christians who were passionate about seeing Christ glorified through Great Commission ministries. We set out to partner with churches to ensure missionaries are well-equipped and are supplied with consistent encouragement and robust, personalized support. We believe this support enables missionaries to persevere for the long-term requirements of discipling mature believers and establishing healthy churches. Our prayer is that these faithful, gospel-centered ministries will bear fruit for generations to come.

## Sermon Notes

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### **“A People Who Know His Name”**

- 1) A Praising People
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- 2) A Remembering People
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- 3) A Remembered People
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- 4) A Praying People

#### **Call to Worship – Psalm 135:13-21**

Your name, O LORD, endures forever,  
your renown, O LORD, throughout all ages.

<sup>14</sup> For the LORD will vindicate his people  
and have compassion on his servants.

<sup>15</sup> The idols of the nations are silver and gold,  
the work of human hands.

<sup>16</sup> They have mouths, but do not speak;  
they have eyes, but do not see;

<sup>17</sup> they have ears, but do not hear,  
nor is there any breath in their mouths.

<sup>18</sup> Those who make them become like them,  
so do all who trust in them.

<sup>19</sup> O house of Israel, bless the LORD!  
O house of Aaron, bless the LORD!

<sup>20</sup> O house of Levi, bless the LORD!

You who fear the LORD, bless the LORD!

<sup>21</sup> Blessed be the LORD from Zion,  
he who dwells in Jerusalem!

Praise the LORD! (ESV)

#### **Scripture of Assurance – Romans 5:5**

[5]... and hope does not put us to shame, because  
God’s love has been poured into our hearts through the  
Holy Spirit who has been given to us. (ESV)