# Sunday, December 25, 2022

| Song: mark the Angels Sing Screen                       |
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| Welcome   |
| ~ Call to WorshipPsalm 103                              |
| Prayer of Invitation                                    |
| Song: SOTM: O Holy Night (Hear The Gospel Story) screen |
| Old Testament Reading Jeremiah 40                       |
| Catechism   |
| New Testament Reading Revelation 22                     |
| Children's Sermon                                       |
| Song: What Wonder Filled The Starry Night screen        |
| Prayer of Praise & Confession                           |
| Scripture of Assurance1 John 5:13                       |
| Song: Behold The Lamb Of God screen                     |
| Pastoral Prayer   |
| Sermon Scripture Reading                                |
| Meditation  |
| Message from God's Word                                 |
| Acts 17:16-34   |
| Silent Reflection/Prayer                                |
| Lord's Supper   |
| Benediction   |
| ~ Doxology screen                                       |
| Final announcements                                     |
| Closing prayer  |

# **Announcements**

## **Calendar**

12-25-22 - Christmas Service

**01-01-23** – Ryberg Baby prayer shower

01-19-23 - Founder's Conference streamed

01-15-23 - Business Meeting

**03-30-23** – Reformed Baptist Family Camp

### 2022 Church schedule as follows:

Worship: 10a.m.-Noon Lunch: Noon – 2p.m.

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

#### **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.

## **Worship & Study Times:**

#### Sunday

10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Worship service

12:00p.m. – 1:45 p.m. Fellowship Lunch

2 p.m. – 3 p.m. Sunday School/Prayer/Business

#### Wednesday

Wed. 7p.m. – Mens/Womens meetings



# Lloyd Austin III Secretary of Defense

Assumed office: January, 2021

Married: Charlene Austin

Children: 2 stepsons

Religion: Catholic Family

Job: the leader and CEO of the U.S. Department of Defense, over the U.S. Armed Forces. The command and authority over the military is second only to that of

the POTUS who is the commander-in-chief.

#### To our guests:

We are so glad that you have joined us for worship this morning. At West Oaks Baptist, we believe Jesus Christ alone can change lives, and His revelation to us is through His Spirit and through His Word. We live in His grace and mercy and desire to see others do the same. Our prayer is that you will experience God during our time together and feel welcomed by our church family. Any of us would be happy to answer questions you may have. Both of our pastors' information is listed on the front of the bulletin in case you have additional spiritual needs.





Letting His Word Dwell in Us Richly! Colossíans 3:16

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# O Holy Night (Hear The Gospel Story) SOTM December 2022

#### **VERSE 1**

O holy night, the stars are brightly shining,
It is the night of the dear Savior's birth.
Long lay the world in sin and error pining,
Till He appeared and the soul felt its worth.
A thrill of hope, the weary world rejoices,
For yonder breaks a new and glorious morn.
Fall on your knees, O hear the angel voices!
O night divine, O night when Christ was born! (Repeat line)

#### VERSE 2

Humbly He lay, Creator come as creature,
Born on the floor of a hay-scattered stall.
True Son of God, yet bearing human feature,
He entered earth to reverse Adam's fall.
In towering grace, He laid aside His glory,
And in our place, was sacrificed for sin.
Fall on your knees! O hear the gospel story!
O night divine, O night when Christ was born! (Repeat line)

#### VERSE 3

Come then to Him Who lies within the manger, With joyful shepherds, proclaim Him as Lord. Let not the Promised Son remain a stranger; In reverent worship, make Christ your Adored. Eternal life is theirs who would receive Him; With grace and peace, their lives He will adorn. Fall on your knees! Receive the Gift of heaven! O night divine, O night when Christ was born (Repeat line)

# Pray for the Nations Marathi in Zimbabwe



Population: 7,300 World Popl: 110,800 Total Countries: 5

People Cluster: South Asia Hindu - other

Main Language: Marathi Main Religion: Hinduism

Status: Unreached

Evangelicals: 0.10% Chr Adherents: 1.00%

Scripture: Complete Bible

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

# **Prayer List**

Pray for One Another – James 5:16

Bare Family

Pray for Kings and Those in Authority Over Us – 1 Timothy 2:2

Secretary of Defense - Lloyd Austin

<u>Pray for the Great Commission – Matthew 9:37-38</u>

Mirathi in Zimbabwe

Nathan & Rebekah Forbes

Heart Cry/Founders/IRBS

<u>Pray for Leaders of our Church - 2 Thessalonians 3:1</u>

Elders - Shawn Hobson & Joshua Loyd

Deacon - Adam Wells

Other Church Elders & Leaders

- -- Ramiro Castillo Redeemer Baptist
- -- Jason Montgomery Faith Community Baptist, FW, TX
- -- Ukraine/Russia

# Sermon Notes December 25, 2022

"Mars Hill Part 2: Knowing God"

1. God is Known by His Creation

2. God is Known by His Providence

3. Finding God

# Call to Worship - Psalm 103

Bless the LORD, O My Soul -- Of David.

[1] Bless the LORD, O my soul, and all that is within me, bless his holy name! [2] Bless the LORD, O my soul, and forget not all his benefits, [3] who forgives all your iniquity, who heals all your diseases, [4] who redeems your life from the pit, who crowns you with steadfast love and mercy, [5] who satisfies you with good so that your youth is renewed like the eagle's. [6] The LORD works righteousness and justice for all who are oppressed. [7] He made known his ways to Moses, his acts to the people of Israel. [8] The LORD is merciful and gracious, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love. [9] He will not always chide, nor will he keep his anger forever. [10] He does not deal with us according to our sins, nor repay us according to our iniquities. [11] For as high as the heavens are above the earth, so great is his steadfast love toward those who fear him; [12] as far as the east is from the west, so far does he remove our transgressions from us. [13] As a father shows compassion to his children, so the LORD shows compassion to those who fear him. [14] For he knows our frame; he remembers that we are dust. [15] As for man, his days are like grass; he flourishes like a flower of the field; [16] for the wind passes over it, and it is gone, and its place knows it no more. [17] But the steadfast love of the LORD is from everlasting to everlasting on those who fear him, and his righteousness to children's children, [18] to those who keep his covenant and remember to do his commandments. [19] The LORD has established his throne in the heavens, and his kingdom rules over all. [20] Bless the LORD, O you his angels, you mighty ones who do his word, obeying the voice of his word! [21] Bless the LORD, all his hosts, his ministers, who do his will! [22] Bless the LORD, all his works, in all places of his dominion. Bless the LORD, O my soul! (ESV)

# Scripture of Assurance - Ephesians 2:8-9

[13] I write these things to you who believe in the name of the Son of God, that you may know that you have eternal life. (ESV)