

Sunday, DEC. 19, NO MORNING SERVICE

Christmas Service : DEC. 19, Doors open 5:30pm, Service starts 5:45pm

Christmas Eve Service: DEC. 24, Doors open 6:00pm, Service starts 6:15pm

The Church Office will be closed Friday, DEC.24, from 12noon. The Office will reopen Wednesday, JAN. 5, 9:00 am.

**While the office is closed you can contact us thru email - office@manachristianohana.org,
we will be checking email regularly**

Sowing God's Word with Range Niau, December 12, 2021

1. All Are Eligible

Mark 4:14-20 NASB 1995 ¹⁴The sower sows the word. ¹⁵These are the ones who are beside the road where the word is sown; and when they hear, immediately Satan comes and takes away the word which has been sown in them. ¹⁶In a similar way these are the ones on whom seed was sown on the rocky *places*, who, when they hear the word, immediately receive it with joy; ¹⁷and they have no *firm* root in themselves, but are *only* temporary; then, when affliction or persecution arises because of the word, immediately they fall away. ¹⁸And others are the ones on whom seed was sown among the thorns; these are the ones who have heard the word, ¹⁹but the worries of the world, and the deceitfulness of riches, and the desires for other things enter in and choke the word, and it becomes unfruitful. ²⁰And those are the ones on whom seed was sown on the good soil; and they hear the word and accept it and bear fruit, thirty, sixty, and a hundredfold."

Romans 10:20 NIV And Isaiah boldly says, "I was found by those who did not seek me; I revealed myself to those who did not ask for me."

2. God Makes It Grow

Mark 4:26-27 NIV ²⁶He also said, "This is what the kingdom of God is like. A man scatters seed on the ground. ²⁷Night and day, whether he sleeps or gets up, the seed sprouts and grows, though he does not know how.

1 Corinthians 3:6-9 NIV ⁶I planted the seed, Apollos watered it, but God has been making it grow. ⁷So neither the one who plants nor the one who waters is anything, but only God, who makes things grow. ⁸The one who plants and the one who waters have one purpose, and they will each be rewarded according to their own labor. ⁹For we are co-workers in God's service; you are God's field, God's building.

3. Faith in God's Word

Mark 4:30-32 NIV ³⁰Again he said, "What shall we say the kingdom of God is like, or what parable shall we use to describe it? ³¹It is like a mustard seed, which is the smallest of all seeds on earth. ³²Yet when planted, it grows and becomes the largest of all garden plants, with such big branches that the birds can perch in its shade."

Genesis 12:3 NIV "I will bless those who bless you, and whoever curses you I will curse; and all peoples on earth will be blessed through you."

Galatians 6:9 NIV Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up.

4. God's Word Never Fails

Luke 1:37 NIV "For no word from God will ever fail."

Isaiah 55:10-11 NIV ¹⁰As the rain and the snow come down from heaven, and do not return to it without watering the earth and making it bud and flourish, so that it yields seed for the sower and bread for the eater, ¹¹so is my word that goes out from my mouth: It will not return to me empty, but will accomplish what I desire and achieve the purpose for which I sent it.