

## Bible Reading Passages

### Luke 13:18-21 (ESV)

<sup>18</sup> He said therefore, "What is the kingdom of God like? And to what shall I compare it? <sup>19</sup> It is like a grain of mustard seed that a man took and sowed in his garden, and it grew and became a tree, and the birds of the air made nests in its branches."

<sup>20</sup> And again he said, "To what shall I compare the kingdom of God? <sup>21</sup> It is like leaven that a woman took and hid in three measures of flour, until it was all leavened."

### Revelation 7:9-12

<sup>9</sup> After this I looked, and behold, a great multitude that no one could number, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, clothed in white robes, with palm branches in their hands, <sup>10</sup> and crying out with a loud voice, "Salvation belongs to our God who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb!" <sup>11</sup> And all the angels were standing around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, <sup>12</sup> saying, "Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might be to our God forever and ever! Amen."



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### Welcome, we're glad you're here!

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### This Christmas: Have Yourself A Very Little Christmas

*The reader is encouraged to see that from a small and seemingly insignificant beginning, the Kingdom of God will grow, sometimes unseen, until it reaches all nations with its transforming power.*

*by Pastor Steven Tran*

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## Have Yourself A Very Little Christmas [Luke 13:18-21]

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Introduction:

1. The Kingdom: a mustard seed

2. The Kingdom: leaven

3. The Kingdom come (Rev 7:9-12)

So what?

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## Say hello

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## Prayer Points

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### **PRAISE GOD FOR CHRISTMAS!**

Praise God that the people who walked in darkness have seen a great light come! Praise God that our hopes are raised and satisfied on this day: the day our Saviour is born.

### **PRAISE GOD THAT THOUGH HIS KINGDOM STARTED IN VERY**

**SMALL WAYS,** it has grown and grown through the centuries. Praise God that His kingdom is wide enough to include people like us. Praise God that it has grown so much. Pray that it will continue to grow in the years ahead. And pray that this slow but sure growth would give us the confidence to keep trusting Jesus, no matter the cost.

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## Today's Service

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### **Welcome and Singing**

Angels We Have Heard On High / O Come All Ye Faithful

On That Very First Christmas

Silent Night

### **Prayer**

### **Bible Reading**

Luke 13:18-21

Revelation 7:9-12

### **Sermon**

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### **Song of Response**

O Holy Night (Hear The Gospel Story)

Joy To The World

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