

Judea – Challenges
Planting Seeds or Planting Weeds: Choices
Luke 1:11-22

“Train a child in the way he should go, and when he is old he will not stray from it.”

—Proverbs 22:6

- ***But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.***
—Acts 1:8
- Judea is the place of Matthew, Mark, Luke & John. The land where Jesus lived & ministered. It is the place where the church was started through the Holy Spirit. It is the same place as the nation of Israel is today.
- We can't be satisfied with our own solution.
- Planting seeds – thinking & speaking confidently of the power of God.
- Planting weeds – thinking & speaking words of doubt and anxiety.
- Am I a seed planter or a weed planter?
- “This is just what we do on Sunday mornings, We go to church & worship”
- What do you believe that God can't do?
- God is looking for people who plant seeds.
- When we doubt we plant weeds in those around us.
- Is there a Jack in your neighborhood? (Are you satisfied that someone doesn't know Jesus? What are you waiting for?)
- Remember: God silenced Zechariah 6 months for being a weed planter.

Memory Verse:

“Stop doubting; simply trust God.” —John 20:27