

Living in the "SOWER" SYSTEM
WORLD COMMUNION SUNDAY
Kailua Christian Church - 10/2/22
Text: Matthew 13:3-8
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Scripture Reading Matthew 13:3-8 NRSV

3 And he told them many things in parables, saying: "Listen! A sower went out to sow. 4 And as he sowed, some seeds fell on a path, and the birds came and ate them up. 5 Other seeds fell on rocky ground, where they did not have much soil, and they sprang up quickly, since they had no depth of soil. 6 But when the sun rose, they were scorched, and since they had no root, they withered away. 7 Other seeds fell among thorns, and the thorns grew up and choked them. 8 Other seeds fell on good soil and brought forth grain, some a hundredfold, some sixty, some thirty.

Seeds on the PATH... what might this mean for you?

Seeds on ROCKY GROUND... what might this mean for you?

Seeds among the THORNS... what might this mean for you?

Seeds in the good soil... this is the one we understand. Good soil, good growth, rich harvest. What kind of SOIL is in your heart?

There's a Native American proverb – about the two fighting wolves within each of us. Which one will win?

What is one new thing you learned when you let your inner "child" hear this parable in a fresh new way?

How might this parable especially bless us on "World Communion" Sunday?