📖 Mustard Seed Faith

Speaker: Julie Pedroza

Message Title: Mustard Seed Faith

Main Passage: Luke 13:18–19

Other Passages Referenced:

James 2:17

💡 Highlighted Scriptures

Luke 13:18–19 (KJV)
 "Then said he, Unto what is the kingdom of God like? and whereunto shall I resemble it? It is like a grain of mustard seed, which a man took, and cast into his garden; and it grew, and waxed a great tree; and the fowls of the air lodged in the branches of it."

James 2:17 (KJV)
 "Even so faith, if it hath not works, is dead, being alone."

🧠 Summary

 Julie Pedroza shares a heartfelt devotional centered on the idea of faith—specifically the kind Jesus described as being like a mustard seed. She reflects on Luke 13:18–19 and the tiny yet powerful example of the mustard seed, emphasizing that even a small amount of faith can grow and bear fruit in others' lives. Julie encourages obedience to God, even when it's uncomfortable, and reminds us that stepping out in faith—even in small ways—can have lasting impact. She also references James 2:17 to stress the importance of living out our faith through action.

💬 Discussion Questions

- **What does the mustard seed represent in your personal faith journey?**
- **Can you recall a time when a small act of faith led to unexpected growth or impact?**
- **How does James 2:17 challenge you in the way you live out your beliefs?**
- **In what ways can you "plant seeds" in others' lives through your testimony or daily actions?**
- **What might God be asking you to do today that feels outside your comfort zone?**

🪴 Reflection Challenge

This week, identify one person you can encourage with a word of faith, a personal testimony, or an act of obedience to God. Take a step, even if it feels small—remember, mustard seed faith can lead to mighty things.

🙏 Prayer Prompt

Lord, increase my faith, even if it's only the size of a mustard seed. Help me to obey You, to act on what I believe, and to be a witness of Your love and truth in someone else's life today. Amen.