## Bible Readings Book by Book week 80 – w/c 14/5/23

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**Monday: Judges 1:1-36.** After Joshua's death, Israel had a 300-year period from 1375 – 1050 BC characterised by low spiritual and moral standards where "everyone did as he saw fit". Godly leadership matters. Pray today for the Government, MPs and Party Leaders to lead our nation well.

**Tuesday: Judges 2:1-23.** We need to learn from Israel's failure to communicate faith to the next generation (v 10). All Churches and moves of God are only a generation away from extinction. What are you doing to communicate faith and change what you do in Church to accommodate the generation younger than you?

**Wednesday: Judges 3:1-31.** When the Israelites cried out to God he raised up a deliverer. The Spirit of the Lord empowered Othniel who overcame the enemy. Can you remember a time that you sensed the power of God come upon you?

**Thursday: Judges 4:1-24.** Verse 3 indicates there were 20 years of prayer before Deborah and Barak led Israel and threw off the oppressive rule of Jabin. Sometimes prolonged periods of prayer are needed to obtain release from issues that restrict us.

**Friday: Judges 5:1-31.** Deborah and Barak sang a song of praise after Israel's victory. It was commonplace for victory to be remembered and exaggerated in song. What do you do to celebrate and remember God's victories in your life?

**Weekend: Judges 6:1-40.** Here we get a glimpse of Gideon's strengths, weaknesses & the way he views himself. List them. What do you see as being your greatest strength? What is your greatest weakness? Importantly today, how do you think God views you.....mighty warrior?