

**Wednesday 21st**  
Judges 5:1-31  
Mark 2:23-3:6

**Thursday 22nd**  
Judges 6:1-24  
Mark 3:7-35

**Friday 23rd**  
Judges 6:25-40  
Mark 4:1-20

**Saturday 24th**  
Judges 7:1-23  
Mark 4:21-34

**Sunday 25th**  
Judges 7:24-8:9  
H&P 220 & 768

**Monday 26th**  
Judges 8:10-28  
Mark 4:35-5:20

**Tuesday 27th**  
Judges 8:29-9:6  
Mark 5:21-43

**Wednesday 28th**  
Judges 9:7-21  
Mark 6:1-6

**Thursday 29th**  
Judges 9:22-45  
Mark 6:7-29

**Friday 30th**  
Judges 9:46-10:5  
Mark 6:30-44

**Saturday 31st**  
Judges 10:6-11:3  
Mark 6:45-56

# DAILY

# READINGS



*"The time is fulfilled,  
and the kingdom of God has come near;  
repent, and believe in the good news."*

*Mark 1:15*

## MAY 2014

Dear Friend,

Due to the way that these readings progress, we get a prolonged time to focus upon Easter. We have, in the last couple of weeks, celebrated Easter in both our church services, and the ecumenical production of 'To Jerusalem'.

This has, I believe given us all a chance to reflect upon this familiar story in new ways. Now, once again we turn to the story as it is recorded in the gospel of Matthew. Perhaps having just celebrated Easter and shared in 'To Jerusalem' God might speak to us afresh as we re-read the story.

Having read through the end of Matthew's gospel, we turn once again to Mark's version - that which is both the shortest gospel, and is believed to be the first of the written accounts of our Lord's life.

At the same time, in the Old Testament, we conclude our reading of Joshua and move on into the book of Judges.

May God bless you as you read His word.

In His name,  
Martyn

**Thursday 1st**  
Joshua 18:11-28  
Matthew 25:31-46

**Friday 2nd**  
Joshua 19:1-23  
Matthew 26:1-16

**Saturday 3rd**  
Joshua 19:24-48  
Matthew 26:17-46

**Sunday 4th**  
Joshua 19:49-51  
H&P 154, 183 & 247,

**Monday 5th**  
Joshua 20:1-9  
Matthew 26:47-68

**Tuesday 6th**  
Joshua 21:1-19  
Matthew 26:69-75

**Wednesday 7th**  
Joshua 21:20-42  
Matthew 27:1-10

**Thursday 8th**  
Joshua 21:43-22:6  
Matthew 27:11-26

**Friday 9th**  
Joshua 22:7-20  
Matthew 27:27-44

**Saturday 10th**  
Joshua 22:21-34  
Matthew 27:45-61

**Sunday 11th**  
Joshua 23:1-16  
H&P 135, 169 & 173

**Monday 12th**  
Joshua 24:1-15  
Matthew 27:62-66

**Tuesday 13th**  
Joshua 24:16-33  
Matthew 28:1-15

**Wednesday 14th**  
Judges 1:1-21  
Matthew 28:16-20

**Thursday 15th**  
Judges 1:22-36  
Mark 1:1-15

**Friday 16th**  
Judges 2:1-15  
Mark 1:16-31

**Saturday 17th**  
Judges 2:16-23  
Mark 1:32-45

**Sunday 18th**  
Judges 3:1-14  
H&P 148, 193 & 465

**Monday 19th**  
Judges 3:15-31  
Mark 2:1-12

**Tuesday 20th**  
Judges 4:1-24  
Mark 2:13-22