## **Emmanuel Prayer List February 2022**

Note: The monthly prayer list can be accessed on the Emmanuel Website Wasauksing First Nations

- Ongoing communication and relationship-building with Maggie and the adults in this Community.
- As Ken and Rachel look to God, to sense His leading for the right time to return for day camps.
- Connection will remain strong with children as they see our church's commitment to them: may they see God's Love in the gifts EBC sent; school supplies/Christmas food hampers, visits by the Conley's.
- Church family will faithfully pray often for this mission so that the evil one does not harm the foundation of trust and love God has built.
- · God's Presence and Love will fill hearts during isolation of the pandemic.
- All children and parents will seek to know Jesus and choose personal salvation; to truly know, and worship, the Creator.

# Study Continued (from inside page)

8. Peter told the story of James Sheldon's book, 'In His Steps'. It is in that book that the pastor of the church in the story, tells his congregation to ask the question, "What would Jesus do?" before they make any decision in life. Then, once you have determined what you think Jesus would do, then do it, regardless of the consequences to yourself.

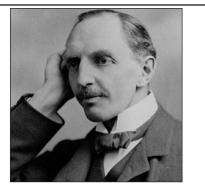
If you lived like this every day - do you think it would change your life?

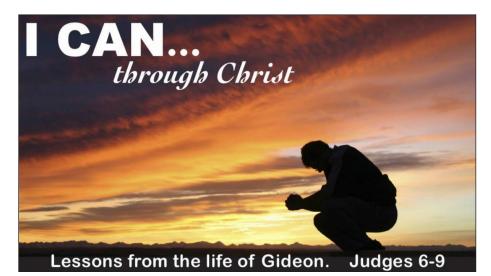
How would you determine what you think Jesus would do in any given situation?

In what kind of situations and circumstances would you ask that question? Give examples.

C. T. Studd, missionary 1860-1931

Only one life, 'twill soon be past. Only what's done, for Christ will last.





"I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me." Philippians 4:13

- 1. Knowing God Learning to live by faith
- 2. The Lord is Peace Shut the door on sin
- 3. Recognising God's call on your life
- 4. The importance of doing God's will, God's way
- 5. Learning to trust God in difficult circumstances
- 6. Being faithful to the end My legacy

### Being faithful to the end - My Legacy - Judges 8:22-35

Psalm 90:12 Teach us to

#### THE PRESSURE OF THE WORLD

Rom 12:2 do not \_\_\_\_\_\_, any longer, to the pattern of this world... v.22 What did the people want?

Examples of how the world views life, issues, problems etc.:

Examples of how Jesus teaches us to view life, issues, problems etc.:

What the people wanted to do with Jesus (John 6:14-15):

Jesus' triumphal entry into Jerusalem (Luke 19:38-44). Why did Jesus weep?

## WHAT DOES IT MEAN FOR JESUS TO BE LORD OF YOUR LIFE?

1. Matt 28:18 \_\_\_\_\_

2. Luke 6:46

The Bible is...

Judges 8:24-27 Why did Gideon make an ephod?

Gideon's intentions were but his methods were

v.27 The result of Gideon's actions:

1. Read Psalm 90:10-12. What are these verses teaching us?

What does a, "heart of wisdom" look like in every day life?

2. Read Romans 12:2 and Judges 8:22. Why do you think the people wanted Gideon to be their king?

This question is answered later in Israel's history, when the people asked Samuel to appoint a king (Read 1 Samuel 8:5-20). Why do you think people choose to do things the worlds way, rather than God's way?

3. From your notes opposite, what are some of the ways that the world views life, and how to deal with issues, and problems?

How does Jesus teach us to view these same issues, and how to respond to them?

4. Read John 6:14-15 and Luke 19:38-44. Why did Jesus weep over Jerusalem?

What was the result of Israel's uprising against Rome?

What do you think are some of the consequences in our lives, of choosing to do things our way, rather than God's way?

5. Read Matt 28:18 and Luke 6:46. If Jesus is going to be our 'king' and be Lord over our lives, what will that look like in every day life?

Peter said that the Bible is the ultimate source of truth in all matters of faith and life. In practical terms, what does that mean? What does it mean when I come up against something in the Bible that I struggle with?

- 6. Read Judges 8:23-27. Gideon wanted the people to have God as their king. He wanted the people to worship God, and God alone. Unfortunately, he made a foolish decision. What was it, and why was it foolish. Can you see any parallels in life today?
- 7. Some would say, "What's the big deal, Gideon still wanted to worship God, what's the problem with making his own ephod and worshiping in his own town rather than going to the tabernacle in Shiloh to worship, and seek God?" Why is it a big deal? What was the result of Gideon trying to do the right thing, but doing it in the wrong way - not doing it God's way?