Preaching Elder R. Rubino Sermon Outline for Sunday, August 1, 2021 Sermon: "Lord Help My Unbelief!" What's Wrong With You People? Pt. 17 **I Text:** Old Covenant: Judges 6:17-23 New Covenant: Mark 9:14-29

II Doctrine:

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