

# SERMONS IN ACTS

## Acts 3

Peter's preaching on Pentecost was successful

- ✧ About 3,000 saved, 2:41
- ✧ Unity of the saints, 2:46
- ✧ Praise of God, 2:47
- ✧ Favor of the people, 2:47

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Continued preaching brought  
opposition

- ✧ Our duty is to teach
- ✧ Some will accept
- ✧ Many will be opposed

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A beggar is blessed, Acts 3:1-8

- ✧ Hour of prayer
- ✧ Lame from womb
- ✧ Begging
- ✧ Expected money
- ✧ Healed
- ✧ Ecstatic

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Are we this excited

About spiritual blessings?

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A crowd gathered, Acts 3:9-11

- ✧ Man known to the people
- ✧ Knew a miracle had happened
- ✧ Turned attention to Peter & John

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The healing was not by man, Acts 3:12

- ✧ Not man's power
- ✧ Not man's purity
- ✧ Divine power
- ✧ Healed by faith in Jesus' name
  - Not lame man's faith, 3:3-5
  - Peter's faith, Mt. 17:14-21

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Jesus: rejected by man, approved by God,  
Acts 3:13-15

- ✧ God glorified – Jews denied
- ✧ Jews condemned – Pilate found innocent
- ✧ Jews wanted murderer – rejected Holy One
- ✧ Jews killed the Author of life – God raised

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Jews killed Christ in ignorance, Acts 3:17

- ✧ Ignorance, not innocence, Acts 2:23
- ✧ Peer pressure, Mk. 15:8-14

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Death of Christ foretold, Acts 3:18-26

- ✧ Moses, 3:22, 23; Deut. 18:18, 19
  - Deliverer
  - Lawgiver

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- ✧ Samuel & all the prophets
- ✧ Sons of prophets – listen to them

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Death of Christ foretold, Acts 3:18-26

✧ Purpose of Christ coming –  
turn men from their sins!

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Sin of the Jews could be blotted out,  
Acts 3:19-21

✧ Parallel Acts 2:38

- Repent – repent
- Turn again – be baptized
- Sins blotted out – remission of sins
- Times of refreshing – gift of the Spirit

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Acts 3:19-21

✧ Christ to remain in heaven until the end,  
1 Cor. 15:24-26; Psa. 110:1

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### Results

Peter & John were persecuted,

Acts 4:1-3

- ✧ Teach truth, get persecuted
- ✧ Controversial issue

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Multitudes became Christians

- ✧ Number grew to about 5,000
- ✧ Reason: heard the word