

ACTS

My Hand, His Power

Acts 3:1-26

Acts' 1st Miracle – v. 1-11

Was truly _____ ...

Its effects were _____ and permanent.

Its effects were _____ and undeniable.

What is a 'miracle'?

What was the point of the miracle (sign)?

Was accomplished through _____ * MEN ...

**Who were filled with the Spirit*

**Who were willing to be used by God*

We can only _____ what we truly _____.

"The _____ is Christ's. The _____ is ours." (Thomas Walker, Acts of the Apostles, p. 67)

Was clearly _____ ...

It was same in type and effect as those that _____ performed.

It fulfilled _____ about Jesus.

It created _____ and forced _____ whose answers were only found in Jesus.

Was a display of the _____ in action ...

The Gospel is not _____ or merely _____. It is _____.

We have something to _____ that can be found nowhere else and in no one else.

Though filled with "_____ and _____", they were not _____ by the sign.

Peter's 2nd Sermon – v. 12-26

¹¹ While he clung to Peter and John, all the people, utterly astounded, ran together to them in the portico called Solomon's. ¹² And when Peter saw it, he addressed the people ...

He seized the _____ to talk about Jesus. Then he ...

"_____" from Old Testament to Jesus to now.

_____ them over their _____.

_____ the Gospel clearly.

_____ them to respond with _____ and _____.

_____ hope for those who _____ and judgment for those who _____ to believe.

And he reminded them of their special _____ ...

²⁶ God, having raised up his servant, sent him to you first, to bless you by turning every one of you from your wickedness."

_____ is a blessing.

_____ is a blessing.

_____ is a blessing.

_____ is a blessing.

My next step:

*Dr. Paul Thompson
Calvary Baptist Church
March 13, 2022*

Second Sunday Night Prayer Service

March 13 | 6pm | Fellowship Center

Join us tonight as we pray for and praise God for the health of Calvary Baptist Church ministries including Worship, Missions, Community Ministries, Family Ministries, Senior Adults, and Discipleship.

Deacon Nominations

We are requesting deacon nominations for the new church year that begins on July 1. Read Acts 6:1-7 and 1 Timothy 3:8-13, to remind yourself of God's description for deacons as you pray about which men to nominate. Nomination cards are in your worship bulletin today and on the Next Steps table. Our deacon selection committee will accept nominations through April 15. Drop your nomination cards in the offering boxes in the Fellowship Center, bring to the church office during the week, or email caren@calvarydothan.com.

Senior Adult Mid-Month Service & Lunch

Thursday, March 17 | 11am | Sanctuary

Dan Tankersley will be preaching the service. Lunch will be served in the Fellowship Center immediately following the service.

John MacArthur Guest Speaker

Wednesday, March 23 | 6pm | Fellowship Center

We will not serve a midweek meal this night.

Calvary Kids and Students will not meet but will join their families in the service.

Childcare for babies-K5 will be available by a reservation.

We are pleased and honored to welcome Dr. John MacArthur as our special guest on Wednesday, March 23 at 6pm in the Fellowship Center. Since 1969, Dr. MacArthur has served as the pastor-teacher of Grace Community Church in Sun Valley, California. He is also president of the Master's University and Seminary and can be heard daily on the Grace to You radio broadcast. He has authored a number of bestselling books, including The MacArthur New Testament Commentary series, The MacArthur Study Bible, The Gospel According to Jesus, Twelve Ordinary Men, and Strange Fire.

Calvary Family Night

Sunday, March 27 | 5-7pm | Gym & ROC Parking Lot

Bring your families and lawn chairs out to enjoy some good fellowship, food, and fun together as a church family.

Joy Prom

Mark your calendar for Joy Prom on Sunday, May 1, 5-7pm. The Joy Prom is a full-scaled prom designed for people ages 13 and older with developmental or physical impairments. More information to come.

Student Life Camp

6th-12th Grade | July 18-22 | Wilderness at the Smokies Resort, Sevierville, TN
\$75 deposit due by March 13 | Total Cost: \$319 + Food (TBD)

The students will host fundraisers over the next couple of months to raise money for camp and help reduce the total cost. Register online at calvarydothan.com.

Vacation Bible School | June 13-17

Spark imagination and kick creativity into high gear at Spark Studios. This summer, kids will learn that God's creativity didn't stop in Genesis. The Master Artist is working to redeem, reclaim, and transform us—His creation—to the design He planned for us. Kids will see the beautiful truth that they are God's workmanship as they learn to use their talents to bring glory to Him.

Child registration will open in April. Volunteer registration is open now. Visit our website for more information and to get registered.

Ten years ago, and just a few weeks into my new season of ministry at Calvary Baptist Church after moving from Jensen Beach, FL, I was already feeling the weight of the challenge of change before me, coupled with the great sense of loss of all things comfortable and familiar that 17 years of ministry in one place affords. On March 21, 2012, after prayer and scripture reading, I wrote the following verse from my quiet time that day atop my journal: *"Do what the occasion requires, for God is with you ..."* (1 Samuel 10:17).

At that moment, God was reminding me of the sense of His call that brought me here and was renewing the sense of purpose necessary to be effective at what He called me to do, where He called me to do it. I felt the comfort of His presence assuring me to press on. I'm pretty sure now as I look back that many people I knew (and many I didn't yet) were praying for me in those days. Without those prayers, that God-sent reminder and renewal may never have come, and these last ten years may have looked very different for my family and me.

It's been ten years now since those early days, and whatever challenges we've faced have been matched by faithful praying. Whatever successes we've experienced are due to the same. And whatever Kingdom impact we will have in the future on our city and the world will have the same source: Our sovereign God responding to the prayers of His faithful, righteous people.

At the 10-year mark, I want to thank you for your love for me and mine and being a family to us. This month particularly, I especially thank you for your texts, calls, and notes of encouragement and support. I mostly appreciate your faithfulness to God, and your love for His Son, His Word, and His church, and your prayers.

As I begin my second decade with and among you all, I ask for this the most: That you pray for me. You may not always agree with me, but will you pray for me? You may not always understand me, but will you pray for me? You may not always like me, but will you pray for me?

I ask this of you because this is what (imperfect) I desire:

To walk more closely with God every day than the day before.

To be filled with, empowered by, and submissive to the Holy Spirit.

To lead, love, and care for my family well.

To preach and teach the truth without fear of man or pride in myself.

And to pastor the people of Calvary with integrity, zeal, focus, and wisdom until God says otherwise.

As Proverbs 16:9 tells us, *"The heart of man plans his way, but the Lord establishes his steps."*

Pray that He would establish mine.

With much gratitude and love,
Pastor Paul

I WOULD LIKE MORE INFORMATION ABOUT:

My Decision Today:

- I trusted Jesus as Savior.
- I'd like to join Calvary Baptist Church.
- I believe God is calling me into ministry/mission.
- Please have a pastor or elder contact me.

If you would like to speak with someone about one of the items noted above, please visit the Next Steps Kiosk before you leave today.

PRAYER REQUESTS:

- Pastors & Prayer Team Only
- Churchwide

Connect Card

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I'm New Here

To fill out a digital Connect Card or learn more about Calvary, please use your smartphone camera to scan the QR Code.

How to Become a Christian

Want more information about how to become a Christian? Go to calvarydothan.com/become-a-christian/.

If you would like to view a pdf of today's sermon notes, go to calvarydothan.com/podcast or use Calvary's MobileMission app.

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FIRST TIME GUEST?

We're so glad you've joined us for worship today and would love to be able to share more with you about our church. Please fill out the Connect Card to the left and place it in one of the offering plates when they are passed. Be sure to stop by our Next Steps kiosk after the service for a gift from us!

THE PEOPLE CAME...

March 6

Life Groups: 555
10:00 Worship: 603
Hispanic Church: 137
Grace City Church (NY): 30

THE PEOPLE GAVE...

General Fund

Given March 6: \$101,758
January Budget
Surplus (Deficit): \$17,036.65

DAILY SCRIPTURE READING

Sunday, March 20:

Gen 25, Mt 24, Est 1, Acts 24

Monday, March 21:

Gen 26, Mt 25, Est 2, Acts 25

Tuesday, March 22:

Gen 27, Mt 26, Est 3, Acts 26

Wednesday, March 23:

Gen 28, Mt 27, Est 4, Acts 27

Thursday, March 24:

Gen 29, Mt 28, Est 5, Acts 28

Friday, March 25:

Gen 30, Mk 1, Est 6, Rom 1

Saturday, March 26:

Gen 31, Mk 2, Est 7, Rom 2

Midweek Schedule

5:15pm Midweek Meal, Fellowship Center

6:00pm Midweek Worship, Sanctuary
Preschool, Birth-K5, Preschool Building
Children, Grades 1-5, ROC
Students, Grades 6-12, Student Room

7:00pm Adult Choir

4 Ways to Give

- Give online by using the MobileMission app for Apple or Android or go to calvarydothan.com/GiveOnline.
- On Sundays, drop in the offering plate or in the collection boxes near the Fellowship Center exit doors
- Mail to 901 Montezuma Avenue, Dothan, AL 36303
- Bring to the church office, M-F, 8am-12noon & 1-4:30pm

Ministry Staff

Paul Thompson.....Senior Pastor
Charles Uptain.....Executive Pastor
Dan Tankersley.....Discipleship
Tommy Perry.....Community

STAFF ON CALL

Sunday, March 13:

Reagan Farris | 504-319-6986

Saturday, March 19:

Joyce Alexander | 334-798-4791

Sunday, March 20:

Joyce Alexander | 334-798-4791

SERMON SCHEDULE

Wednesday, March 16 | 6pm

Genesis: Where Grace Began

Message by Paul Thompson

Sunday, March 20 | 10:00am

Acts: No Other Name; No Other Choice

Acts 4:1-22

Message by Paul Thompson

Wednesday, March 23 | 6pm

Genesis: Where Grace Began

Message by Paul Thompson

Sunday, March 27 | 10:00am

Acts: If God is Sovereign, Why Pray?

Acts 4:23-31

Message by Paul Thompson

Sunday Morning Schedule

8:00am Call to Prayer, Sanctuary

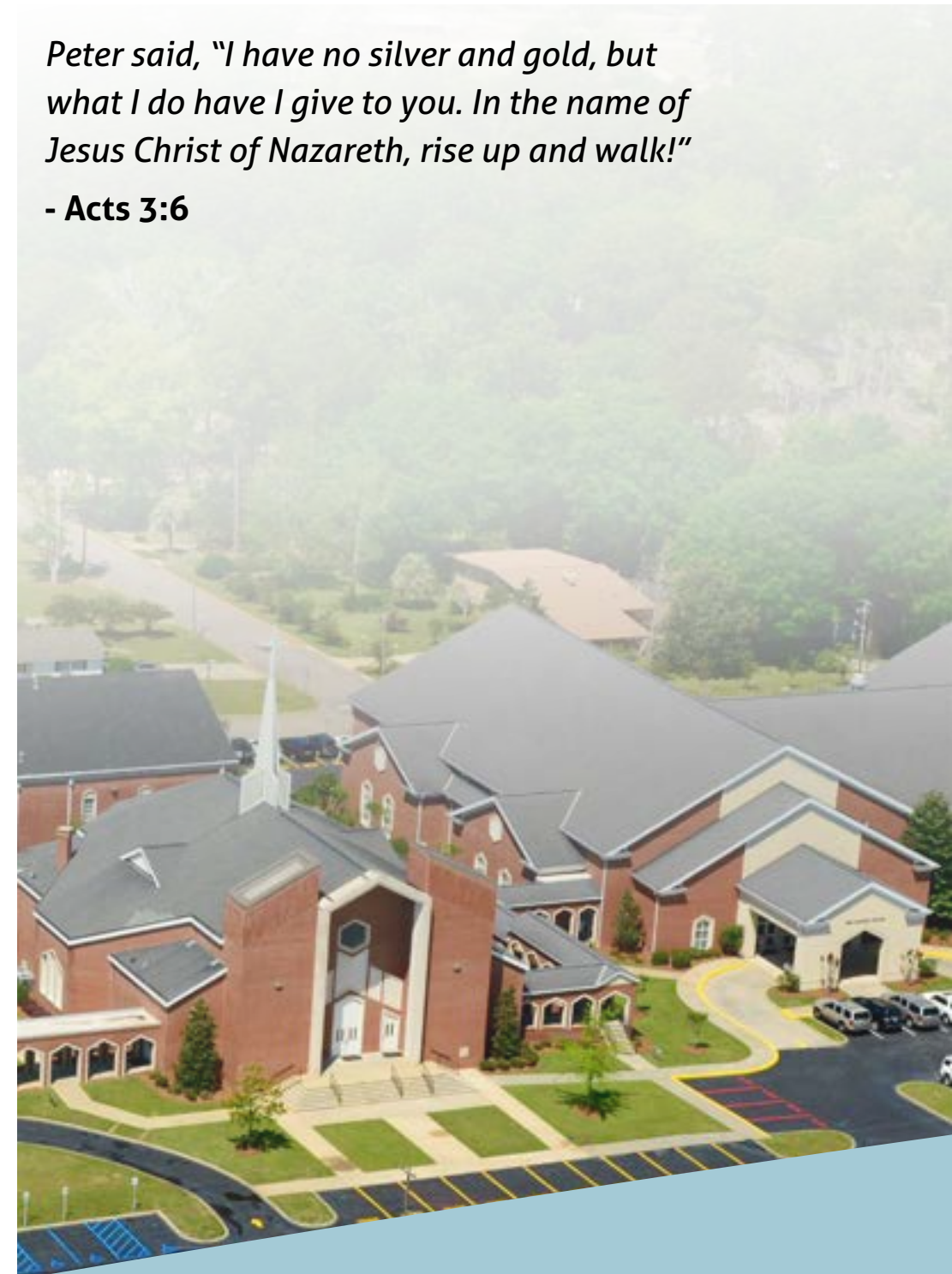
8:30am Life Group

10:00am Worship, Fellowship Center
Kid's Worship, Grades 1-5,
Chapel (except 1st Sunday)

11:00am Worship Broadcast on JoyFM
94.3/96.1 with a 1 wk delay.

Peter said, "I have no silver and gold, but what I do have I give to you. In the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, rise up and walk!"

- Acts 3:6



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BAPTIST CHURCH

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- First Time Guest
- Guest
- Member

Name

Address

City

State/Zip

Male Female

Married Single

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