

THE POWER OF PENTECOST AND THE GOSPEL OF GRACE

Silver and Gold Have I None, but Such as I Have

(Acts 3:1-26)

❖ Christ Alone Has the Power to Raise the Helpless (Acts 3:1–10)

- The Man's Condition Reveals the Sinner's Condition
- The Apostles Direct Attention Away from Themselves and to Christ
- Christ's Healing is Immediate, Effectual, and Complete
- The Right Response to Grace is Joyful Worship

❖ Miracles Are Signs Pointing to the Glory of Christ, Not Ends in Themselves

(Acts 3:11–16)

- The Crowd is Astonished, but Peter Corrects Their Focus
- Peter Presents Jesus in the Fullness of Redemptive History
- Human Sin is Exposed in the Clearest Possible Terms
- The Resurrection Vindicates Christ and Grounds the Gospel Call

❖ **The Gospel Call Is to Repent, Believe, and Receive Times of Refreshing from the Lord** (*Acts 3:17–26*)

- **Peter acknowledges ignorance, but he does not excuse guilt**
- **Repentance is the Necessary Response to the Gospel**
- **Forgiveness in Christ is Full, Free, and Cleansing**
- **Christ is the fulfillment of all God's promises**
- **The blessing of the covenant comes through turning from wickedness**