Response Questions July 4, 2021 | Act 3:1-26

- 1. What does it mean to you to live your life in Jesus' name?
- 2. What is the importance of Peter's statement: "In the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth" (verse 6)?
- 3. What credibility does the fact that Luke (the author of Acts) was a medical doctor add to this particular miracle?
- 4. Read Acts 4:1,2 & 16. Could the priests and leaders of the temple deny that a miracle occurred? Why or why not? How does this understanding add credibility to the account?
- 5. When you have done something that draws attention and compliments from others, what is your reaction? Where do you focus the attention?
- 6. Look through verses 11-26. What are the names used to describe Jesus? How many different names for Jesus do you find?a) Which name resonates with you most deeply?
- 7. Who are Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob (verse 13)? What is Jacob's other name? What was the promise to Abraham in verse 25 that applies to us today (Gen 22:18; 26:4)?
- 8. What did the Israelites do "in ignorance" (Acts 3:17)?
- 9. What consequence did Peter say would result if they did not heed the words of the prophets (verse 23)? What are the consequences of rejecting Jesus?
- 10. What three benefits or blessings did Peter promise them if they repented and turned to God?
 - 1. 3:19
 - 2. 3:19
 - 3. 3:20-21
- 11. Have you made the decision to repent and turn to God?

a) If so, what changes have you experienced in your life? Are you using these experiences to point others to God? If you have not made the decision to repent, what is keeping you from making that decision right now?

b) If you have not made the decision to repent, what is keeping you from making that decision right now?