

# BELPRES CHURCH

## Sermon Title: Only Jesus

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**Scripture:** Acts 3:11-13,15-16 & Acts 4:9-10,12

<sup>11</sup>While the man held on to Peter and John, all the people were astonished and came running to them in the place called Solomon's Colonnade.

<sup>12</sup>When Peter saw this, he said to them: "Fellow Israelites, why does this surprise you? Why do you stare at us as if by our own power or godliness we had made this man walk?"

<sup>13</sup>The God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob, the God of our fathers, has glorified his servant Jesus. You handed him over to be killed, and you disowned him before Pilate, though he had decided to let him go.

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Acts 4:9-10,12

<sup>9</sup>If we are being called to account today for an act of kindness shown to a man who was lame and are being asked how he was healed,

<sup>10</sup>then know this, you and all the people of Israel: It is by the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, whom you crucified but whom God raised from the dead, that this man stands before you healed.

<sup>12</sup>Salvation is found in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given to mankind by which we must be saved."

**Discussion Questions:**

Opening Question

- Icebreaker: That is something you fear (heights, spiders, etc.)?
- Looking back, were you able to apply any of the things we talked about last time to your life this week? What did you do? How did it go?

Scripture Reflection Questions - Read this week's scripture together and discuss the following:

- What do we learn about God (e.g., traits, personality, what matters, priorities) in this passage and sermon?
- What do we learn about people, and ourselves in particular, this week?

Sermon Reflection Questions

- What steps could you take to rely on Jesus, and only Jesus, more?
- What are ways to talk to others about how Jesus is the only one who can save us? Why is that good news?

Closing Question and Application

- Given what we've discussed together today, how might God want you apply these learnings to your life or in the life of your community this next week?
- Who might you share this with?