Looking in the Wrong Places

John 5:1-16

I. God’s plan is found in Jesus. (v. 1-5)

“After this…” (Luke 4:16-31; 5:12-16; Matthew 4:23-24; 8:14-17; Mark 1:21-28; 2:1-12)

Mark 1:14-9:50; Luke 4:14-9:50

“a feast of the Jews” (Deuteronomy 16:16; Exodus 23:17; 34:23)

“sheep gate” (Nehemiah 3:1, 32; 12:39; John 1:29)

“impotent folk, of blind, halt, withered” (Isaiah 35:5-6)

“waiting for the moving of the water…For an angel…troubled the water” (Romans 3:10-12; Luke 5:30-32)

“And a certain man was there, which had an infirmity thirty and eight years.” (Deuteronomy 2:14; John 5:40; Matthew 12:43-45; 23:25-26)

II. God’s power is found in Jesus. (v. 6-9)

“I have no man” (Luke 18:9-14)

“Rise, take up they bed, and walk… immediately the man was made whole” (Mark 2:9)

Acts 4:12

III. God’s authority is found in Jesus. (v. 10-16)

“sabbath day” (Hebrews 4:1-13; Matthew 5:17-18; 23:4; Mark 2:27-28; Nehemiah 13:15-18; Jeremiah 17:21-22)

“He that made me whole, the same said unto me, Take up thy bed, and walk.” (John 9:24-33)

“sin no more” (John 8:11)

“did the Jews persecute Jesus…He had done these things on the Sabbath day” (John 1:14, 17; 7:46; Colossians 2:9; Hebrews 4:1-13; Matthew 7:28-29; 12:8)