When A Blind Man Sees

John 9:1-12

Isaiah 35:4-6; 42:6-7; Matthew 11:2-5

John 1:18; Hebrews 1:1-2

I. It is for God’s glory. (v. 1-3)

“Master, who did sin, this man, or his parents, that he was born blind?” (Genesis 25:21-22; Exodus 20:5; 34:7; Deuteronomy 5:9; 24:16; Ezekiel 18:20; Numbers 12:1-12; 2 Corinthians 12:7-10; 1 Corinthians 11:27-34; Luke 13:1-5)

“Neither hath this man sinned, nor his parents: but that the works of God should be made manifest in him.” (John 8:12; 9:5)

II. It is through God’s power. (v. 4-7)

“I must work the works of him that sent me, while it is day: the night cometh, when no man can work. As long as I am in the world, I am the light of the world.” (John 1:4-5; 3:16-19; 12:35-36, 46-48; Isaiah 9:2)

“When he had thus spoken, He spat on the ground, and made clay of the spittle, and he anointed the eyes of the blind man with the clay,” (Mark 7:31-37; 8:22-25; Isaiah 35:4-6; 42:7; Genesis 2:7; John 9:14)

“Go, wash in the pool of Siloam, (which is by interpretation, Sent.)” (2 Kings 5:10-14; 20:20; 2 Chronicles 32:4; John 2:1-11; 7:37-39; 9:4; Isaiah 6:5-8)

Ephesians 2:8-9

III. It is by God’s Word. (v. 8-12)

“Is not this he that sat and begged?” (2 Corinthians 5:17; John 10:10)

“How were thine eyes opened?... A man that is called Jesus…” (John 9:11, 17, 33, 36-38)