Sermon Notes

Title: Opportunities

6/20/21

Acts 13:13-52

Acts 13:13-52 ESV

Typical Synagogue Service:

* Opening Prayers
* Reading of the Law (Pentateuch)
* Lesson from the Prophets
* Sermon

(16-20)

Project 2 Timothy 4:7

Outline of Speaking (Sermon)

* Sketch of OT History (16-25)
* Reminder of God’s ultimate provision in Jesus Christ (26-37)
* Invitation to accept Christ’s provision (38-41)

450 years –

400 years in Egypt

40 years in wilderness

10 years occupying the promised land

(21-22)

Psalm 89:19b-29

1 Samuel 13:14

(23-25)

Jesus is Messiah – Savior

(26-29)

Opportunity to accept what Jesus did for us

Jews killed Jesus

Jews also fulfilled prophecy about Jesus

(30-39)

Fulfilled prophecies about Christ –

* Psalm 2:7
* Isaiah 55:3
* Psalm 16:10

(38-41)

Forgiveness

Don’t repeat the error of the Jews in Jesus’ time (Habakkuk 1:5)

Don’t fail to recognize and accept

Jesus as the Savior sent by God

(42-43)

(44-47)

Fulfilling duty of going to the Jews first

(48-52)

Immediate and wholehearted response (2 Thessalonians 3:1)

Christians are meant to be Evangelists

Dual emphasis on divine election “appointed” and human response “believed”

Galatians 5:6-7; 1 Thessalonians 1:6