**“God Keeps His Promises”**

**Acts 13:13-41**

**Exposition: (Acts 13:13-41)**

1. **The *Promise Given*! (16-25)**
   * **God is sovereignly moving all of history according to His purpose.**
   * **Jesus is the fulfillment of God’s promise of a Savior.**
2. **The *Promise Kept*! (26-37)**
   * **If Jesus is God’s Savior and Messiah, why did the Jewish leaders reject Him?**
   * **When the Jewish leaders rejected and killed Jesus, did they thwart God’s plan?**
3. **Our *Response* to the Promise! (38-41)**
   * **Right standing before God can never come through the Law.**
   * **The God who keeps his promises is the God who carries through on his warnings.**

**Take Aways**

1. **God initiated the process of His promises.**
2. **Jesus Christ is the goal and culmination of history.**
3. **God is moving history toward the grand climax of Christ’s defeat of Satan and His eternal reign.**