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Acts 13

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The church at Antioch

- **Rapidly growing**
- **Multicultural**
- **Truly generous**
- **Authentically spiritual**
- **Strategically missionary**
- **Authentically Christian**



Calling and sending

- **Called by the Holy Spirit (v 2)**
- **Confirmed by the church (v 3)**
- **Sent by both (vv 4, 5)**
- **Best people sent**



The message

- **The word of God (5, 7)**
- **The teaching about the Lord (12)**
- **Based on Old Testament (17-22)**
- **Rooted in history (23-25)**
- **Focussed on the cross (27-29)**
- **Proclaiming the resurrection (30-37)**
- **Preaching salvation (26, 38-39)**
- **Warning against rejection (40-41, 46)**



Opposition

- **Open challenge (6-12)**
- **Jealousy (45)**
- **Organised persecution (49-50)**