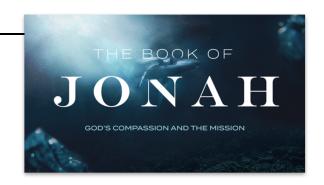
AND THE PEOPLE OF NINEVEH BELIEVED GOD

Jonah 3:1-10 // Pastor Patrice Charade June 15, 2025



As I live for God, will I follow and obey him...

...out of mere compliance?

...constrained by his mercy 1

...bound by his calling 2-4

...by strong conviction?

...humbled by his power 5

...transformed by his Word 6-10

GROUP DISCUSSION

- 1. Rather than "moving on" from Jonah, God called him a second time to go to Nineveh; God is a God of second chances.
 - What does it mean that God is a God of second chances?
 - How have you seen this to be true in your personal life, and does it lead you to respond differently upon the knowledge and evidence of his mercy?
- 2. Christians can easily fall into an attitude of apathy towards living the life and mission they have been given.
 - READ and DISCUSS 2 Corinthians 5:14-15
- 3. Though Nineveh was a city great in size, strength, and sinfulness, the people responded positively and humbly to God.
 - Though this shouldn't be seen as list of dos and don'ts-consider how the Ninevites responded when confronted by the Word about their sin.
 - i. They turned to God and believed him (v. 4)
 - ii. They fasted and grieved their sin together, holding one other accountable (v. 5-6)
 - iii. They prayed mightily to God and encouraged one another to change their evil ways (v. 7-10)