Jonah: It's Not About The Whale

March 5, 2023 / Overboard / Jonah 1:7-17

| The sailors seek | from Jonah. |
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| Jonah claims to | · |
| Jonah's rebellion creates more | for the sailors. |
| Jonah would rather than _ | · |
| The sailors and to Jonah's God. | |
| Gos is at work in your | · |

Resources for Further Study

Timothy Keller. Rediscovering Jonah.

Justin Dean. The Gospel According to Jonah: Running from Grace.

Stephen Witmer. Jonah: The Depths of Grace.

Eric C. Redmond. Christ-Centered Exposition: Exalting Jesus in Jonah, Micah, Nahum, Habakkuk.



Midweek Discussion Questions

Join us Wednesday 6:00 pm

What are some ways people try to make big decisions? How should Christians do this differently than the world? Have you ever made a decision that you felt you were following the Holy Spirit's leading? In what ways does Scripture help inform our understanding the Spirit's leading?

Read Jonah 1:7-16

Compare and contrast the actions of the sailors and those of Jonah. How are they similar? How are they different?

In what ways can we follow the actions of the sailors? In what ways do Christians sometimes follow the actions of Jonah? What should be done when Christians follow Jonah's actions?

Read Jonah 1:17

What do we learn about God in this verse? How is this true today?

Personal Reflection

Think back to when you first believed and followed Jesus. How do you see God's sovereignty in your salvation?

Gospel Points in Jonah 1:7-17

- God is soverign. (1:7, 14, 15, 17)
- God is the creator. (1:9)
- God is to be worshiped. (1:16)