

Growth Group Questions

Jonah Part 2: Repentant Prophet

1. Ice Breaker Question: Have you ever been caught in a bad storm or trapped in a tight space? If so, share your story with the group.

2. Compare Jonah 1:15 with 2:3? How did Jonah view his circumstances and God's role in them? Compare that to how you view your circumstances.

3. What are your thoughts on why the Lord sometimes allows us to get to the end of our ropes before He intervenes? (see James 4:10)

4. In what sense was Jonah undeserving and helpless when God rescued him?
 - a. Read Ephesians 2:1-10. In what sense are you undeserving and helpless when God rescued you?

 - b. How does this truth impact how you relate to God? How does it help you relate to others who are in the same spiritual situation you're in?

5. Thought Question: Where in your life are you desperate enough to pray for change? Pray in faith knowing that God is in control and can make a difference in your life.



Car Conversations

Keep the conversation with your kids going using these questions based on the Faith Kids' lesson.

(The following questions are based on Jonah 2)

1. Have you ever been trapped before? Where? -How did you get stuck there? How did you get free?
2. What is grace? How did God show grace to Jonah?
3. What did Jonah do inside of the great fish?
4. What do you learn about prayer from Jonah's prayer? Why will God ALWAYS hear your prayers?