

Sunday, June 27, 2025

Series: Jonah – The Prophet Sent to Nineveh

Title: Jonah's Plea from the Belly of the Whale

Text: Jonah 2:1-10



Introduction:

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1. Thankfulness Helps Us Realize Our Depravity → And God's Deliverance

Jonah 2:1-7

- A. We Must Recognize Our Desperate Situation
- B. We Must Rely on Our Divine Sovereign.
- C. We Must Repent from the Depth of Our Souls.

2. Thankfulness Helps Us Make Our Commitments.

Jonah 2:8 - ⁸ *“Those who regard worthless idols Forsake their own Mercy.*

- A. Idols do not save.
- B. When it really matters...God's love, mercy, forgiveness, and purpose are what only matters!

3. Thankfulness Helps Us Live Sacrificial Lives.

Jonah 2:9 - ⁹ *But I will sacrifice to You With the voice of thanksgiving; I will pay what I have vowed. Salvation is of the Lord.”*

- A. Return to the Lord → Thankful, Faithful, Sacrificial.
- B. Reside in the Lord → Salvation.

4. Thankfulness Helps Us Proclaim the Message of Salvation.

Jonah 2:9-10 - ¹⁰ *So the Lord spoke to the fish, and it vomited Jonah onto dry land.*