



Jonah

Small Group Questions
Week of June 28, 2020

Icebreaker:

As a kid, did you ever hear the story of Jonah? What do you remember from that?

Jonah did not want to go to Nineveh. What place would you LEAST like to visit? Why?

Discussion Questions:

1. Review: What was the relationship between Israel and Nineveh?

2. Read Jonah 1:9 and 4:2. List the things Jonah knew about God.

- How did each of these things affect – or not affect – Jonah’s actions?

3. Read Jonah 4:10-11. Compare Jonah’s priorities with God’s priorities.

4. What is the “Sign of Jonah”? (Matthew 12:39-41)

- Why did Jesus say the Ninevites would rise in judgment against the Jews of his time?

5. What are some reasons Christians today might not embrace God’s priorities for those who are different than themselves?

- What is one way that you are currently being challenged to embrace God’s priorities?