

ABOUT EAGLE CHRISTIAN CHURCH

As a Christian church we do not claim to be the only Christians, or the only church, but we seek simply to be known as Christians without a denominational label. We do not see ourselves as better than anyone else, but as a group of Christian people dedicated to a personal relationship with Jesus Christ.

We seek the unity of all people on the basis of confession and commitment to Jesus Christ as Lord. Our hope is to unite all Christians under the authority of Jesus Christ and pattern our lives after the Word of God.

Thank you for joining us for this informed time of worship and Bible study as we grow together in Christ.

WE BELIEVE

- That Jesus is God's Son and our Savior.
- That the Bible is the inspired Word of God.
- In the physical death, burial, and resurrection of Jesus Christ.
- That we are saved by grace through faith and there is nothing we can do to earn it ourselves.
- That God exists in three persons: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
- In baptism by immersion for penitent believers.
- In the second coming of Christ.

REACHING THE TREASURE VALLEY FOR CHRIST

We are one Church with four locations across the Treasure Valley:

- Central Valley — 100 E. Third Road, Eagle
- Sargents Valley — 400 E. Sargents Way, Sargents
- West Valley — 1000 Cherry Lane, Manito
- East — 317 N. Fox Hills Road, Reno

Visit www.eaglechristianchurch.com for campus information.

Mailing address for all campuses:

7400 River Valley Rd., Eagle ID 82416

P 208-288-4171 | Office Hours: M-F 9 am-5 pm | P 7 am-4 pm

PREPARING FOR WORSHIP

- Please dress conservatively as you enter the service.
- If you need the more information about Eagle Christian Church, please visit at the Connection Center. If you are here for the first time, we have a free gift for you, also available at the Connection Center.
- Please fill out the enclosed Connection Card to indicate your presence and commitments proper needs or comments.
- Do you need to pray with someone? At the end of each service, members of our staff and prayer team are at the front of the stage to pray with you.

FROM RUNNING TO REVIVAL

JONAH



WELCOME

TODAY'S SERVICE

CELEBRATION OF PRAISE AND WORSHIP

Join us as we enter God's presence and celebrate His goodness.

COMMUNION

If you have chosen to follow Christ, please join us as we remember Christ's sacrifice for our sins.

CELEBRATION OF GIVING

This portion of the service is for our church family. Please place your offering and Connection Cards in the baskets at the entrance doors of the Worship Center. If you don't normally attend, please do not feel obligated to participate.

SPIRITUAL COMMITMENT

We invite you to examine your life and make a personal commitment to the Lord. At the closing, staff and members of our prayer team will be at the front of the stage to pray with you.

WELCOME TO EAGLE CHRISTIAN CHURCH



We are glad you have joined us today in worship. We want you to know that we have purposely planned this time together and that we do a "church" on purpose.

Our mission is to reach people with the gospel message of Jesus Christ,
teach people to become devoted disciples of His,
equip people for work of service, and send them into ministry.

As you join us today, we ask that you also be intentional in your worship
of God and purposefully focus on your relationship with Him.

God Bless you as we follow His together!

Dr. Steven A. Cross

GROUP QUESTIONS

Opening: What is the worst storm you've ever been in? What was it like?

Read Jonah 1:4–17

1. What did the sailors do in response to the storm? (vs 2, 7–8, 13–15)
What does Jonah do?
Why do you think he was able to sleep in the storm?
Do you think Jonah was aware of how his decisions affected others?
Explain.
2. What do you think the sailors were trying to learn by their questions?
How does Jonah answer their questions?
3. What does Jonah think will happen if they throw him overboard? Why?
Does Jonah expect to survive being thrown overboard?
What does that tell you about how far he wants to get away from God's mission for him?
4. How do the sailors respond after God stills the storm?
What is the connection between fear and faith?
5. What does God's pursuit of Jonah tell you about God's character?

Read Jonah 2:1–10

6. What kind of response does Jonah expect from God? (vs 2, 4, 6, 9)
7. Compare verse 2:3 with 1:15. How does Jonah view his circumstances?
How is he able to pray with hope of being heard, and rescued?
8. What is your takeaway from Jonah's prayer?
9. Have you ever been rescued by God from a "storm"?
How did you call out to him?
What did he do for you?

MEMORY VERSE:

Hebrews 12:6

"For the Lord disciplines the one he loves,
and chastises every son whom he receives."

Nowhere to Run, Nowhere to Hide

Jonah 1:4–2:10

1. The _____
Jonah 1:4–5

2. The _____
Jonah 1:5–16

3. The _____
Jonah 1:17

4. The _____
Jonah 2:1–10

Next Steps:

- I am thankful that the Lord disciplines those he loves.
- I will work to make Jesus the top priority in my life.
- I will take advantage of opportunities to share my faith with others.
- One idol in my life that competes for my affection for Jesus is _____