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Sunday October 26th
Guest Speaker Stuart Stanfill

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Jonah was also a man who deeply hated his enemies and wanted the same of God.

Even after God was gracious and compassionate to Jonah, he did not change his attitude.

What about you?

How well do you know God?

How well do you understand His character?

How much do you depend on His Immutability, His compassion, His power, His Mercy?

How do you translate what you know of God into your relationships with your neighbors be they friend or foe?

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