Jonah 3

Discussion Questions

Opener: Do you ever wish you could have a do over on something you’ve said or done? Share an example.

*Read Jonah 3:1-10*

1. Where is Jonah at the end of chapter two? Why is Jonah open to obeying God’s call?

2. Jonah is reluctant about his mission, but God still uses him! How does this both challenge and encourage you as you walk with Jesus?

3. The common people of Nineveh repent *before* word reaches the king. What does this reveal about their repentance?

4. Track the actions of the King in 3:6. Why is this picture of his response so powerful?

5. The people of Nineveh were brutal and brilliant, but God showed them mercy rather than holding their sins against them. How does this display the heart of Jesus?

6. In our culture today who might be considered ‘Ninevites’? What happens in your heart when this group is shown mercy or grace?

**Prayer Ideas:**

Give thanks for God’s unending, surprising mercy and grace. Lamentations 3:22-23

Ask the Holy Spirit to empower you to show grace in your relationship with your Name in the Wall.