

Sermon Title: Christ's Prefiguration and Salvation for Sinners

Scripture Reading: Jonah 1:17 - 2:10 | ESV

Opening Question:

Have you ever felt overwhelmed by your sins, like Jonah was by the fish?

Jonah and the Great Fish

1. The **swallowing** of Jonah: (Refer to Jonah 1:17)
2. Three days and nights lead to Jonah's **prayer** and **repentance**: (Refer to Jonah 2:1-9)
3. The **vomiting** of Jonah onto land: (Reference Jonah 2:10)

The Passion of Christ:

1. The Swallowing = Christ's **Death**:
(Refer to Matthew 27:50, Mark 15:37, Luke 23:46, John 19:30, Romans 5:8, Philippians 2:8)
2. The Three Days and Nights = Christ's **Burial**:
(Refer to Matthew 27:59-60, Mark 15:46-47, Luke 23:53, John 19:38-42)
3. The Vomiting = Christ's **Resurrection**: (Refer to Matthew 28:5-6, 1 Corinthians 15:3-4, Mark 16:6, Luke 24:6-7, Romans 6:4)

Salvation for Sinners:

1. The Swallowing = **Consumed** by sin.:
(Refer to Isaiah 59:2, Romans 5:12, Romans 6:23, Galatians 5:19-21, James 1:15)
2. The Prayer and Repentance = **Confessing** our sins.:
(Refer to 1 John 1:9, Proverbs 28:13, Psalms 32:5, Proverbs 28:13, James 5:16)
3. The Vomiting = **Cleansing** of our sins.:
(Refer to 2 Corinthians 5:17, Psalm 51:2, Acts 22:16, 1 John 1:7, Ezekiel 36:25, Hebrews 10:22)

Closing Question:

How can we apply Jonah's lesson of repentance and redemption to our lives?