

Family Talk – Revival

READ TOGETHER

Jonah Chapter 3

1. How do you feel when you receive a second chance?
2. What were the responses from
 - a. Jonah? (vs 3)
 - b. The Ninevites? (vs 5-6)
 - c. God? (vs. 10)
3. What does the wicked Ninevites' response (see Jonah 1:2) teach us about our ability to be forgiven?

LIVE IT

Thank goodness we, like Jonah, are given second chances. After initially disobeying God and running in the opposite direction, spending time in the belly of a fish, and being spit out onto dry land, he goes to Nineveh. It was the last place he wanted to go, but obedience to God is vitally important.

When confronted with their sin, the Ninevites repent! Everyone *from the greatest to the least* believed God's message spoken by Jonah. The King of Nineveh commanded everyone to pray, turn from their evil ways, and stop all violence. Upon seeing their genuine change, God did not punish them. How encouraging!

Is there something in your life that you need to repent from? What steps can you take to change? How can your family help you take steps of obedience toward Jesus?

LEAN ON GOD

Dear God,

Thank You for second chances. Help us listen and obey the first time You ask. Please continue to forgive us and show grace when we don't. We love You and want to love You with our thoughts, words and actions.

In Jesus name,

