

Sermon Outline - July 6, 2008
The Book of Jonah • "It's a Miracle!"
Jonah 3

Introduction: "A God of Second Chances"

"Then the word of the LORD came to Jonah a second time..." v.1

1. When God speaks, who listens?

"Then the word of the LORD came to Jonah a second time: 'Go to the great city of Nineveh and proclaim to it the message I give you.' Jonah obeyed the word of the LORD and went to Nineveh." v.1-3

- God continues to speak _____.

2. In the belly... again?!

"Go to the great city of Nineveh and preach against it, because its wickedness has come up before me." 1:2

- God calls us to bring _____.

3. A call to repentance.

"On the first day, Jonah started into the city. He proclaimed: 'Forty more days and Nineveh will be overturned.' The Ninevites believed God. They declared a fast, and all of them, from the greatest to the least, put on sackcloth." v.4-5

- It's the _____, not the _____.

4. It's a Miracle!!

"When God saw what they did and how they turned from their evil ways, he had compassion and did not bring upon them the destruction he had threatened." v.10

- Not the _____ -- but _____.

Answers to Sermon Outline:

to the hard of hearing; light into dark places,
Message, messenger; fish, Faith