# Jonah & the Great Fish

JONAH 1:1 - 2:10

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## Today in class I learned what the Bible says about...

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- God told Jonah to go the city of Nineveh and tell them to repent, or God would destroy them. Because Jonah didn't want to obey, he got on a ship heading to Tarshish.
- While on the boat, a terrible storm came up and the crew feared for their lives. They determined that Jonah was the reason that God has brought the storm. Jonah told them to throw him overboard and then the storm would stop.
- After the sailors threw Jonah overboard, a giant fish swallowed Jonah. After living in the fish for three days, Jonah repented and the fish vomited him up on the land.

## QUESTIONS YOU CAN ASK ME

#### What does the Bible say:

- Where did God tell Jonah to go? Why?
- Why didn't Jonah obey God?
- Who told the sailors to throw Jonah into the sea?
- What did Jonah do while he was inside the great fish?

#### What does it mean:

- Why did the sailors throw Jonah overboard?
- What do you think Jonah felt like being inside the fish?
- Why was Jonah in the fish?
- How did Jonah get out of the fish?

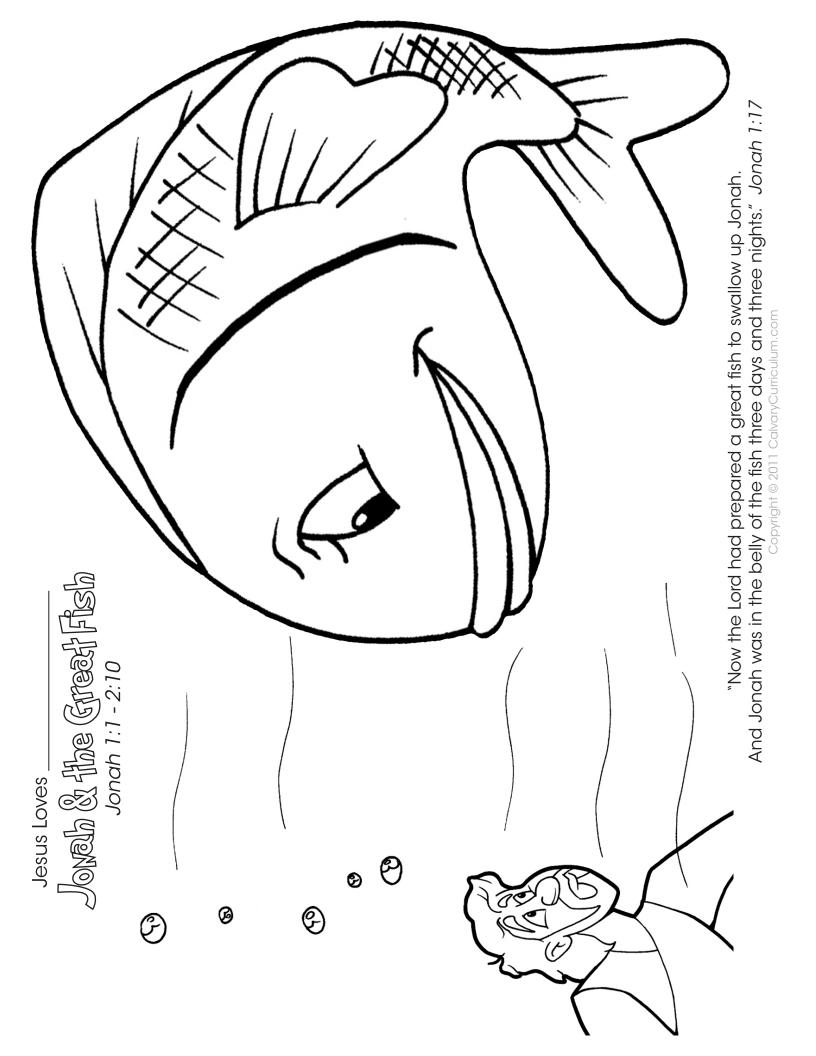
#### What does it mean to me:

- Can you hide from God?
- Does God know what's best for you?
- Is it possible to run away from God? Why not?
- God sees us all the time. Does He see us when we do bad things? Does He see us when we do good things?
- Should we always obey God?



"Now the Lord had prepared a great fish to swallow up Jonah. And Jonah was in the belly of the fish three days and three nights."

Jonah 1:17



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Un-scramble the word to complete the sentence.

OAJNH	١.	did not want to obey God.
OGD	2.	told Jonah to go to Nineveh.
TBOA	3.	Jonah got on the $\_$ $\_$ to cross the sea.
TOSMR	4.	Winds blew, waves tossed and clouds formed due to
		the
HSIF	5.	A great swallowed Jonah.
ALRSIOS	6.	The threw Jonah overboard.
ASDY	7.	Jonah was inside the fish for three

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