



- August 2-23 is the 21 days of prayer and fasting for 2020. Get ready, God always shows up when we pray and fast!
- Life Groups can meet in person, and we would ask that you limit your gatherings to 25 (adults and children).
- Social Distancing and Care: Please continue to practice social distancing when meeting in person. We are not requiring that masks be worn but recommend a mask for those who prefer to wear one. And we encourage all those who are 65 years or older to continue to meet virtually. As a leader, based on these guidelines, you can decide what is best for the people in your group.

This Week's Icebreaker Question:

What is your favorite free event to do in the Ozarks?

Sermon Specific Questions:

1. Pastor John opened with a statement from DL Moody, "the hardest thing God can do is a make a person kind." But on a different note, what is the kindest thing a person has ever done for you?
2. Lecrae brought the parallel of Jonah and Jesus and storms in our life. He said there are 3 storms in life: The ones we bring on ourselves, the ones others bring on you, and the ones that are just the result of living in a broken world. Which of these 3 storms do you feel you are in right now? Or if all is at peace in your world right now, and how did you get there? Share either way.
3. The root of Jonah's disobedience in the book of Jonah in the Bible was brought on by a distrust in the purposes of God. Is there a time you know God spoke to you to do something and you didn't do it? What happened?
4. Since God is more aware of what is good for us than we are, how can we thank Him for the storms in our lives which bring about greater depth in us and His purposes in our lives rather than just ask Him to remove all storms? What storms are you thankful for that He didn't remove, but helped you to go through? How can you have more grace on those around you going through storms? We don't have to understand everything a person is going through to recognize we all have different storms but the same God. Is there a time God gave you the ability to see how to help another person with something that you personally had never walked through?