



HEBRON

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## SERMON-BASED CURRICULUM

### LOVING ACCOUNTABILITY

As we partnered with God this past week to \_\_\_\_\_, what did He do? How did He work in and through us?

### DISCUSSION QUESTIONS FOR JONAH 1

1. As we studied Jonah 1, in what way(s) did God speak to you today through His Spirit and His Word?
2. When was a time you chose to rebel against something God was clearly asking you to do? What did your rebellion look like? Why did you rebel?
3. Why is our past faithfulness to God not a guarantee of our future faithfulness to God?
4. If our faithfulness is questionable, how can we know His faithfulness is certain?
5. Would you say you run to or run away from the Great Commission? Why should we share the gospel both consistently and passionately?
6. Which commands in Scripture do you struggle to obey the first time, every time, and with a glad heart?
7. What makes our rebellion against God's Word ultimately a rejection of God?
8. Why do we foolishly try to flee from God's presence at times? Why is it impossible to flee from God's presence?
9. Why are we tempted at times to flee from God's presence? Why should we always run to Him rather than away from Him?
10. When was a time others had to deal with the consequences of your running from God? When was a time you were so steadfast in your rebellion that you did not care about others having to deal with the consequences of your rebellion (when have you been like Jonah whose indifference toward the well-being of the sailors was shown by his sleeping during the storm)?
11. What can we learn about "self-salvation" efforts from the sailors during the storm?
12. What gives God the right to do whatever it takes to get us to return to Him? What are some things He's done to get you to forsake your rebellion and to return to Him?
13. In what ways can you see God's grace in Jonah 1?
14. How can we know from this opening chapter that lost people (those without Christ) matter to God? How can God tell that they matter to us too?
15. What are all the ways God's sovereignty is revealed in Jonah 1?

### APPLICATION

This week, by God's grace and in His power, we will \_\_\_\_\_.