

NOWHERE TO RUN | THE GOD OF SECOND CHANCES
JONAH 3:1-10

The Lord gave Jonah a mission and a message. Jonah promptly grabbed his shoes, laced them up and sprinted the other way. God pursued him and brought him to repentance. The Lord gave Jonah a mission and a message . . . again. This time Jonah would arise and do what God told him to do. He would accept his second chance and go to Nineveh. His message represented a second chance for Nineveh and its king as well. The Ninevites and the King would also embrace God's second chance. What does our passage teach us about the mercy of God and how to respond to the second chances He gives us?

1. Even when we have blown it in the _____, we can respond to God faithfully in the _____. 3:1-4
2. Second chances always begin with _____ God on a _____ basis. 3:5
3. It is critical to embrace second chances with _____ and _____ to God's message. 3:6-10