

More Than a Fish Tale / Lessons When We Run From God
Jonah 1:4-17 NIV / April 6, 2025
Brandon Grant, Lead Pastor

LESSONS WHEN WE RUN FROM GOD

Jonah 1:4-17 NIV

Running Brings Storms to our Lives – and to the Lives of Others
(Jonah 1:4-5a)

All sin has a storm attached to it

Sin is a form of self-harm

All Running Will Eventually Get Exposed (Jonah 1:5b-7)

Hebrews 4:13 NIV

Running Reflects Where Our Identity is Falsely Found (Jonah 1:8-9)

“Shallow Christian identities explain why professing Christians can be racists and greedy materialists, addicted to beauty and pleasure, or filled with anxiety or prone to overwork.”

- Timothy Keller from “Rediscovering Jonah”

Running Can End by Taking Responsibility for Your Running.
(Jonah 1:10-16)

1 John 1:9 NIV

NO CONDEMNATION, BUT STILL CONSEQUENCES (Jonah 1:17)

Romans 8:28, Romans 8:1-2

Psalms 139:23-24 NIV