

Sermon Notes – February 22, 2026

The Sign of Jonah (*Matthew 12:38-41*)

The sign of Jonah is....

- I. The death, burial and resurrection of Jesus Christ.
 - A. Three days and three nights. (*Jonah 1:17*)
 1. A Jewish idiom meaning any portion of three calendar days.
 - B. Used to show someone is greater than Jonah. (*Vs. 41c*)
 - C. The greatest sign you will ever get. (*Luke 16:31*)

- II. Not enough evidence for arrogant unbelievers.
 - A. Evil and adulterous people. (*Matthew 16:1-4*)
 - B. Always demanding more. (*I Corinthians 1:22*)
 - C. Worshipping signs and idols comes naturally.
 1. The golden calf of Exodus 32.
 2. The suppressors of Romans 1.

- III. The basis of our salvation.
 - A. Our confession of faith. (*Romans 10:9,10*)
 - B. Our confidence in faith. (*I Corinthians 1:23-31; Jeremiah 9:23ff*)
 - C. Our condemnation from faith.
 1. WE are no longer condemned! (*Romans 8:1*)
 2. THEY are condemned already. (*John 3:18-21*) (*Mark 6:11*)