

Sermon Notes – March 15, 2026

The Mercy of God (*Jonah 3*)

- I. The mercy of a second chance.
 - A. Another opportunity to get it right. (*Vss. 1,2*)
 - 1. 1:1-2: Arise, go, cry against it.
 - 2. 3:1-2: Arise, go, proclaim to it.
 - B. Another opportunity to be a part of the process. (*Vss. 3, 4*)
 - 1. Obedience to the word of the Lord.
 - 2. Experience what's important to God.

- II. The mercy of salvation.
 - A. True conversion from an eight -word sermon! (*Vss. 5-9*)
 - 1. God promised to bless His Word, not mine.
 - 2. God promised to use those who repent for His purposes. (*Luke 11:32*)
 - B. True conversion from a God who loves the world.
 - 1. Ninevites were violent heathens. (Gentiles)
 - 2. Ninevites worshipped other gods. (Dagon: fish god)
 - C. True conversion from a God who responds to faith.
 - 1. God sees sincerity.
 - 2. God relents from judgement.