

John 17:3

And this is eternal life, that they know you, the only true God, & Jesus Christ whom you have sent.

2 Peter 3:18

¹⁸ But grow in the grace & knowledge of our Lord & Savior Jesus Christ. To him be the glory both now & to the day of eternity. Amen.





Matthew 28:19-20

of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father & of the Son & of the Holy Spirit, that I have commanded you.

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Sunday School Attendance: 32 Worship Attendance: 82

ANNOUNCEMENTS

We wish a happy birthday this week to Harper Hix and Theresa Davis.

Please join us on Wednesday evenings at 6:30 for Bible study for all ages. There is a free meal for children and youth at 6:00.

We will be hosting a membership class on Sunday November 2nd after the morning service. Lunch and childcare will be provided. If you are interested in becoming a member at SGBC, please sign up.

We are beginning to collect candy for our annual Trunk or Treat event. Please bring bags of individually wrapped candy and place it in the tote outside of the church office.

SKYPAC will be hosting Gerald Wolfe's Gospel Music Hymn Sing on Sunday, October 19th at 3 PM. Tickets are \$10 general admission. SGBC will provide transportation on the van, or you can meet up with the group at SKYPAC. There is a signup sheet on the table in front of the kitchen.

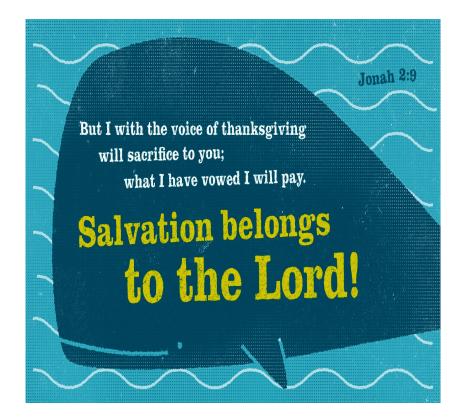
SOKY Patriots, the American Red Cross and the Smiths Grove Fire Department will host a training event here at SGBC on October 21st at 6:00 PM. The training will cover home fire preparedness and basic CPR training (no certification given). Forty households will receive a home fire extinguisher provided by the American Red Cross. For more information, visit the SOKY Patriots Facebook page.

The churches of Smiths Grove will hold a community service at Ed Spear Park on Sunday October 19th at 11:30 AM with a picnic to follow. (We will be having our normal service.)

Sunday October 12th, 2025



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Call to Worship

This Is Amazing Grace

Welcome & Announcements

Scriptural Call to Worship

Jonah 2:2-9

Worship through Song

Speak O Lord

Holy, Holy, Holy

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Goodness of God

Worship through Giving

(After the offering, children 5th grade & under are dismissed to children's church)

Worship through Proclamation

Jonah 1:1-3; 3:1-2; 4:1-10

Worship through Response

Come As You Are

Benediction

Scripture Reading

Jonah 2:2-9 (ESV) — 2 saying, "I called out to the Lord, out of my distress, and he answered me; out of the belly of Sheol I cried, and you heard my voice. 3 For you cast me into the deep, into the heart of the seas, and the flood surrounded me; all your waves and your billows passed over me. 4 Then I said, 'I am driven away from your sight; yet I shall again look upon your holy temple.' 5 The waters closed in over me to take my life; the deep surrounded me; weeds were wrapped about my head 6 at the roots of the mountains. I went down to the land whose bars closed upon me forever; yet you brought up my life from the pit, O Lord my God. 7 When my life was fainting away, I remembered the Lord, and my prayer came to you, into your holy temple. 8 Those who pay regard to vain idols forsake their hope of steadfast love. 9 But I with the voice of thanksgiving will sacrifice to you; what I have vowed I will pay. Salvation belongs to the Lord!"

Jonah 4:1–10 (ESV) — 1 But it displeased Jonah exceedingly, and he was angry. 2 And he prayed to the Lord and said, "O Lord, is not this what I said when I was yet in my country? That is why I made haste to flee to Tarshish; for I knew that you are a gracious God and merciful, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love, and relenting from disaster. 3 Therefore now, O Lord, please take my life from me, for it is better for me to die than to live." 4 And the Lord said, "Do you do well to be angry?" 5 Jonah went out of the city and sat to the east of the city and made a booth for himself there. He sat under it in the shade, till he should see what would become of the city. 6 Now the Lord God appointed a plant and made it come up over Jonah, that it might be a shade over his head, to save him from his discomfort. So Jonah was exceedingly glad because of the plant. 7 But when dawn came up the next day, God appointed a worm that attacked the plant, so that it withered. 8 When the sun rose, God appointed a scorching east wind, and the sun beat down on the head of Jonah so that he was faint. And he asked that he might die and said, "It is better for me to die than to live." 9 But God said to Jonah, "Do you do well to be angry for the plant?" And he said, "Yes, I do well to be angry, angry enough to die." 10 And the Lord said, "You pity the plant, for which you did not labor, nor did you make it grow, which came into being in a night and perished in a night. 11 And should not I pity Nineveh, that great city,

in which there are more than 120,000 persons who do not know their right hand from their left, and also much cattle?"

Sermon Notes

Jonah was a prophet in the century B.C. during the reign of Jeroboam II (2 Kings 14:23-28), but we are not certain when the book named after him was written.
No one in the story behaves as we would
The book of Jonah is not so much about or a bi but a book about what God is
God is a God of
1 John 4:14 (ESV) And we have seen and testify that the Father has sent his Son to be the Savior of the world.
Luke 19:10 (ESV) For the Son of Man came to seek and to save the lost.
God is a God of and chances
Jonah 3:1 (ESV) Then the word of the Lord came to Jonah the second time.
God is a God of
Matthew 9:36 (ESV) When he saw the crowds, he had compassion for them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd.
Conclusion: Jesus and the sign of Jonah (Matthew 12:38 41; Luke 11:29-32)
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