

# **St. Peter's Church** Children's Liturgy

Jonah disobeys God. Jonah 1:1-2:10:

**Theme:** The key themes of this Bible story from Jonah 1:1—2:10 include disobedience, repentance, and God's mercy, as Jonah disobeys God's command to go to Nineveh, faces consequences for his disobedience, repents while in the belly of a fish, and experiences God's mercy through being saved from drowning.

Please begin your learning with the prayer in the 'Heart' section, then with the work in the 'Head' section, followed by applying your knowledge in the 'Hands' section.

## **HEART**

Our Father,
who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name;
thy kingdom come; thy will be done; on
earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our
daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against
us. And lead us not into temptation; but
deliver us from evil.
Amen.



### **HEAD**

 Watch these video on the Gospel Jonah disobeys God. Jonah 1:1—2:10: Link 1

#### **HANDS**

#### **Gospel Reflection Activity Sheet:**

- Why did God want Jonah to go to Nineveh, and what did Jonah decide to do instead?
- 2. What happened when Jonah boarded a boat to flee from God's command?
- 3. How did Jonah's disobedience affect the people on the boat, and what did they do to stop the storm?
- 4. What happened to Jonah after he was thrown into the sea, and how did he feel while inside the fish?

#### **NOTES**

- New Children Liturgy e-learning/ activities are added on a weekly basis.
- Pick and choose the activities that are best suited for your child. Do as much as you can and manage the tasks on your own schedule.
- Activity links are also online in case they do not work in the pdf.
- Send the youth minister a message, photo, video or a collage of your child's best work and we will post it on the parish website.
- Email: youngadult-youthmin@stpeterstoronto.ca

