

“Oh, Jonah!”

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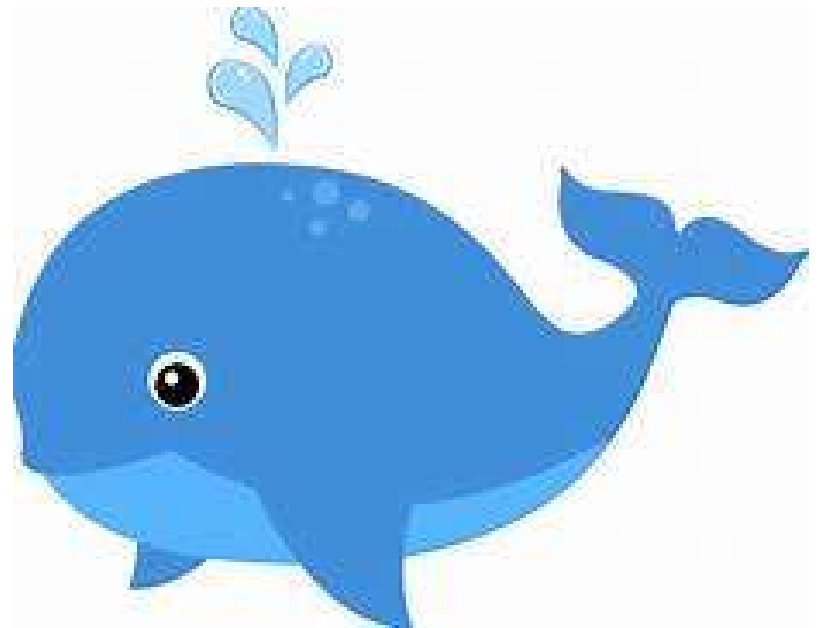
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“Oh, Jonah!” is the story of the prophet Jonah brought to life with music, mime, and merry making. It’s more than just a story about a whale swallowing a human. It’s a story about us. It’s a tale involving responsibility, repentance, listening for the word of God in our lives, accepting people who are different from us, and believing that there is mercy and compassion for all who turn toward God – serious thoughts, but told with a sense of humor and frolicking fun.

Characters:

Jonah	Graham Hickson
Captain	Thompson Norris
The Whale	Parker Hughes
Angels	#1 - Margaret Moore
	#2 - Marla Moody
	#3 - Hannah Schweitzer
	#4 - Tinsley Peterkin
	#5 - Tripp Bradley
	#6 - Joey Hughes
	#7 - Everett Lund
King of Nineveh	Thompson Norris
Bill	Huck Moody
Janet	Margaret Moore
Joy	Tinsley Peterkin
Jenna	Marla Moody
Jack	Thompson Norris
John	Everett Lund
Peyton	Tripp Bradley
Toni	Margaret Moore
Amy	Marla Moody
Sailors	Fabio Jost-Fritz
	Hansi Kiffmeyer
Youth Helpers	Kai Provine, Maryann Peterkin, Nolan Provine

Musical Selections

“A Whale of a Tale”	“Jonah’s Prayer”
“The Lord’s Command”	“The Lord is Giving a Clue”
“Move on Out”	“Do-Re-Mi, Hallelujah”
“It’s a Sailors’s Life”	“City of Sin”
“The Storm”	“Song of Forgiveness”
“Big Bossy Whale”	“Finale”

Many thanks to all our wonderful children, their parents, and families. We are grateful to be working with all these children. They are the best!

Make plans now to join us for Vacation Bible School week June 15 – 19, 2026. The VBS Children’s Choir will sing in worship on Sunday, June 21, 2026.