

# **God's Universal Purpose**

## **Overview of the Book of Jonah**

Introduction to the Book of Jonah:

Three Lessons Jonah/Israel Needed to Learn:

### **God's Plan is Universal**

*"Arise, go to Nineveh, that great city...."*

Jonah 1:2

### **God's Presence is Universal**

*"But Jonah rose to flee to Tarshish from the presence of the Lord."*

Jonah 1:3

### **God's Pity is Universal**

*"You pity the plant...and should not I pity Nineveh?"*

Jonah 4:10,11

Bringing it into the New Testament/Church: