



God's Messenger



In today's story we heard all about a man named Jonah, who when God asked him to do something he didn't want to do he tried to run away from God. God had other plans though and sent a big fish (possibly a whale) to swallow him until Jonah realised God's plan was the right plan, once Jonah realised this the big fish spat him out and Jonah went on to do what God wanted him to do.

Something to talk about:

Jonah didn't want to do what God had asked and therefore he tried to run away –

Do you think Jonah did the right thing? What else could he have done instead?

At the moment we aren't allowed to see anyone that doesn't live with us and that includes your grandparents/aunties/uncles/cousins etc. How does that make you feel?

Do you know what God's plan is for you?

Have a go:

Why not draw a picture of Jonah in the belly of a big fish.

Create a huge picture of a whale and pin it to a wall. Then draw Jonah and cut him out. Then, just like the game 'pin the tail on the donkey' you can blindfold family members and see if they can put Jonah in the whale's tummy.

VeggieTales have made a full length movie based on Jonah, here is a link to it on youtube

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4-G8vV-MLGM>

Remember: we would love to see your creations so feel free to upload any pictures/videos to our facebook page @wow

Memory verse:

Why not try and remember this bible verse

"Then Jonah prayed to the Lord his God from the belly of the fish"

Jonah 2:1

Pray together:

Thank you God that you had a plan for Jonah and that you have a plan for us. Help us to listen to you so that we can fulfill your plan for us.

