



Small Group/ Reflection Notes

Date:	04/08/2019	Title:	God said GO! Jonah said NO!
Read	Jonah 1:1-16	Listen again	ChesterRoadBaptist.org.uk/Talks
Discuss	 When have you felt challenged to do something you really didn't want to do? What happened? Have you ever felt 'saved' by an unexpected change of circumstances or event? What happened? When did you last call out to 'something' or pray to God? Why? Have you ever tried to avoid God? 		
Go further	 Verse 2-3: Assyria had defeated Jonah's people and treated them <u>very</u> badly. To what extent can you identify with Jonah? When have you avoided God? Verse 12: Jonah appeared full of self-blame and punishment? How easy do you find it to receive kindness or forgiveness from God (or others)? 		
Reflect	 Which one verse stands out to you? Why do you think it grabs your attention? Which verse(s) will you need to think more about? Why? When are you like Jonah? When are you like the sailors? 		
د. بتم المه بتم Do	 Do you know someone who could be ready to 'throw the towel in'? How can you show them solidarity or companionship? e.g. call, text, visit, invite bake a cake, buy a coffee, make a meal, send a card <i>Fancy a coffee</i>? 		
Pray	 Ask God to show you what He is nudging you to do. Dear God, please show me what you are calling me to do. Help me to be open to You. 		
P My question:			

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