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Welcome to Church

If you are a visitor to our service this morning, please provide your name and address so we can acknowledge your visit by sending you a welcome note.

Visitation prayer at your specific location (in your home, at the hospital, or nursing facility, etc.) is available on request. All prayer requests are considered confidential, shared only between the prayer team members, unless requested otherwise.

Contact an MCC member, Prayer Team Coordinator, Rick Louché, Jr., or Pastor Curt Deming.

And what does the Lord require of you?
To act justly and to love mercy and to walk humbly with your God.
Micah 6:8

“Teacher, which is the great commandment in the Law?”
“And He said to him, ‘You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart,
And with all your soul, and with all your mind.’
This is the great and foremost commandment.
The second is like it,
‘You shall love your neighbor as yourself.’
On these commandments depend
The whole Law and the Prophets.”
THE GREAT COMMANDMENT
Matthew 22:36-40

And Jesus came up and spoke to them, saying,
“All authority has been given to Me in heaven and on earth.
Go, therefore and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them
In the name of the Father and the Son, and the Holy Spirit,
Teaching them to observe all that I commanded you;
And lo, I am with you always, even to
The end of the age.”
THE GREAT COMMISSION
MATTHEW 28:18-20



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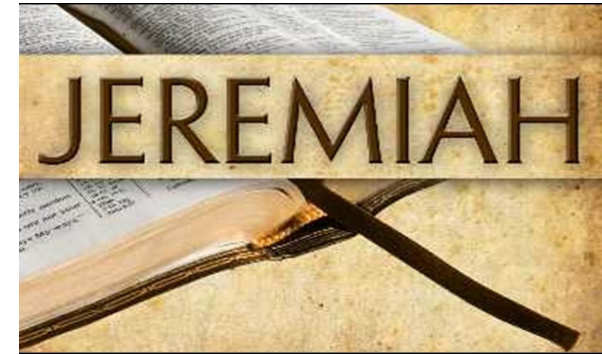
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Melbourne Community Church (MCC)

Sunday Service — May 2, 2021

ORDER OF SUNDAY SERVICE

Special video opens the service

Old Testament Reading, [Ezekiel 37:15-23](#)

Worship

Offering

Announcements of upcoming events

Pastoral prayer for the children before Sunday School classes.
The Nursery is available for infants at any time.

New Testament Reading, [Romans 2:25-29](#)

“A Tale of Two Sisters”, [Jeremiah 3:1-4:4](#)
by Curt Deming, Teaching Pastor

The Lord’s Supper is offered, along with prayer ministry
while worship continues.

Benediction & Closing Prayer

EVENTS THIS WEEK

05/02: Sunday Morning:

Children’s Church:

Toddlers (potty trained) — 1st grade following appropriate COVID-19 precautions.

2nd—6th grade class both following appropriate COVID-19 precautions.

05/05: Wednesday Evening:

Youth Group, for grades 7—12, meeting Wednesdays from **6:00 PM-7:30 PM** at the church with dinner. Enjoy friendship, fun and biblical teaching led by Davis and Denice Hemenway.

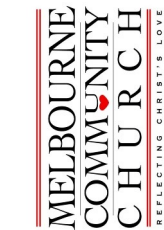
Adult Bible Study, As part of a 6 week series, we will be studying Genesis chapter 1 as part of the “*Doctrine of Creation*”, **6:30 PM-7:30 PM** led by Rick rsclrus@yahoo.com; and/or Susan Krebs skrebs@ccamelb.com online [Zoom meeting](#).

Bible Art Journaling Group, working/praying from home on their own. If you would like to join in with the group, text Barbara Murgatroyd, 321-355-9705 or email, barbaraimurgatroyd@gmail.com to receive handouts for the week.

UPCOMING EVENTS

05/09: Sunday Morning: Sunday Service at 9:00 AM.

Next Sunday we will continue the new sermon series on the Old Testament book of [Jeremiah](#).



Date 05/02/2021 I have a Question Prayer Request Need

Prayer Requests or Questions for the Pastoral Team?

If you have questions or a prayer request, write in the space below and place in the offering basket or give to any MCC member.

(Optional) Name _____

Phone _____

eMail _____

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Sermon Notes: “A Tale of Two Sisters”, by Curt Deming, Teaching Pastor, [Jeremiah 3:1-4:4](#).

Old Testament Reading: [Ezekiel 37:15-23](#); New Testament Reading: [Romans 2:25-29](#).

Two Week’s Ago — “The Call of Jeremiah” ([Jeremiah 1:1-19](#);)

- The call of God is more than an invitation.
- The Lord equips those he calls.

Last Week — “Promiscuous Worship”, [Jeremiah 2:1-37](#)

- Everybody worships.
- There is only one true God who is worthy of our worship.
- Therefore, any alternative plan is doomed.

What will we learn?

- The Lord restores the broken.
- ... But only the broken.

Because of their worship of other gods, how is Israel/Judah personified?
([Jeremiah 3:1-5](#); [Deuteronomy 24:1-4](#))

Israel and Judah had a history of this behavior. Below are references to some example texts:

[Exodus 34:15](#) [Deuteronomy 31:16](#) [Isaiah 1:21](#) [Ezekiel 16:23](#) [Hosea 1-3](#)

Who was king of Judah at the time that this word came to Jeremiah from the Lord?

([Jeremiah 3:6-7](#))

The Lord gave Israel a certificate of divorce , but did Judah take notice of what had happened to Israel? ([Jeremiah 3:8-9](#))

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To put things into historical perspective, below is a timeline of key events in the history of the children of Abraham up through the time of Jeremiah:

- circa 2000 – God called Abram from Ur
- circa 1500 – Moses led exodus from Egypt
- circa 1000 – Israel’s “golden age” under David and Solomon
- 931 BC - Divided kingdom
 - ⇒ 740-686 BC - Isaiah
 - ⇒ 722 BC – Assyrians conquer Israel
- 701 BC – Assyrians attack Jerusalem
- 626-586 BC – Jeremiah
 - ⇒ Babylonians invade and take captives 2X
 - ⇒ 586 BC – Babylonians destroy Jerusalem

In the Lord’s eyes, who was worse in their behavior—Israel or Judah? ([Jeremiah 3:10-11](#))

What did the Lord ask Judah to do (soon)? ([Jeremiah 3:12-15](#))

What will happen to the sacred Ark of the Covenant? ([Jeremiah 3:16-17](#); [Jeremiah 3:19-23a](#))

Was there yet hope for Israel and Judah? ([Jeremiah 3:18](#); [Jeremiah 3:23b](#); [Jeremiah 3:24-25](#))

To turn away the Lord’s wrath, what three things does Israel need to do (two of which invoke mixed metaphors)? ([Jeremiah 4:1-4](#); [Deuteronomy 10:16](#))

- 1)
- 2)
- 3)

Additional Notes:

Internet Resources:

MCC sermon series: [Hosea \(June 9, 2019—July 19, 2019\)](#); [Isaiah \(06/21/2015—09/27/15 \)](#)

[A Commentary on Jeremiah](#), Walter Brueggemann ([Amazon](#))

[Jeremiah: Interpretation](#), Ronald. E. Clements ([Amazon](#))

[The Bible Project: The Book of Jeremiah](#); [Jeremiah Poster](#)