

PURPOSE CHURCH

SUNDAYS 8:30am | 10:00am | 11:30am



JUNE 21, 2026

# Return to Me

WARNINGS FROM THE BOOK OF JEREMIAH



*Summer 2026*

# WELCOME TO PURPOSE CHURCH!

Are you new to Purpose Church?

We are so glad you are here! We want to meet you, answer any questions you might have, and help you get connected. Come to the Connect Center located in the Lobby after the service to meet our friendly team and pick up a free gift!

## NEXT STEPS AT PURPOSE

We believe every person has a *next step* to take. We are here to help you discover and take yours.

Have you decided to follow Jesus?  
Do you want to get baptized?  
Do you need hope, healing and support?  
Are you looking for meaningful community?

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# EVERYONE EVERYWHERE FOLLOWING JESUS

### PRAYER

We would love to pray with you!  
Please stop by the prayer room  
after the service or submit a  
prayer request online.  
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### GIVING

We believe that generous people  
transform the world! Offering  
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# SPIRITUAL ADULTERY

June 21, 2026 / Pastor Eric Holmstrom

**Spiritual Adultery:** replacing **God** with something of **lesser** value

## **Judah's Kings During Jeremiah's 40+ Years of Ministry | 626-586 BC**

- **639-608 BC:** *Josiah* — a **good** king
  - **626 BC:** *The Lord called Jeremiah to prophesy.*
- **3 Months:** *Jehoahaz (son of Josiah)* — a **wicked** king
- **608-597 BC:** *Jehoiakim (son of Josiah)* — a **wicked** king
  - **605 BC:** *First invasion of Judah and Jerusalem by Nebuchadnezzar.*
  - **597 BC:** *Second invasion of Judah and Jerusalem.*
- **3 Months:** *Jehoiachin (son of Jehoiakim)* — a **good** king
- **597-586 BC:** *Zedekiah (son of Josiah)* — a **compromising** king
  - **586 BC:** *Third invasion of Judah and Jerusalem. The Temple was burned, the city destroyed, and most of Judah was taken to Babylon—except Jeremiah.*

## **WARNING #1: EVERYONE** \_\_\_\_\_

### **SOMETHING**

Jeremiah 2:1-2

Revelation 2:4-5

Jeremiah 1:16

**820 years before Jeremiah...** Exodus 20:1-3

**780 years before Jeremiah...** Deuteronomy 30:16-18

**700 years before Jeremiah...** Judges 2:10-11

**400 years before Jeremiah...** 1 Samuel 8:6-7

**97 years before Jeremiah...** 2 Kings 17:16-17

**For over 800 years...** Jeremiah 7:25

Jeremiah 2:11-13

## **WARNING #2: GOD WILL** \_\_\_\_\_

### **PURSUE YOU**

Jeremiah 3:1

Jeremiah 3:12-14

### Family Review Questions:

- (1) What is one thing I **love** about our family?
- (2) What is one thing I **would change** about our family?
- (3) What is one thing I want mom and dad to **know** or **remember** about me?
- (4) What is one thing I think God is **calling** me or our family to do?

Jeremiah 3:22

## WARNING #3: TRUE FREEDOM AND REST COME FROM GOD'S WORD

Jeremiah 6:10, 16

John 4:13-14

### REFLECT | DISCUSS | PRACTICE

1. **REFLECT:** How did you sense God speaking to you through the sermon and Bible verses?
2. **DISCUSS:** What's the most disappointing knockoff or "dupe" you've ever bought (or received) and what made it so disappointing?
3. **DISCUSS:** Read Jeremiah 2:11-13. What stood out to you from Jeremiah's picture of the spring and the broken cisterns and what are some modern-day broken cisterns people often trust in?
4. **DISCUSS:** Read Jeremiah 3:12-14 and 1 John 1:8-9. Have you experienced a time when admitting you were wrong actually led to growth or freedom?
5. **DISCUSS:** Describe a situation where God used one of your weaknesses or limitations in a surprising way.
6. **DISCUSS:** Read Jeremiah 3:22. Which phrase stood out most to you: "Return, faithless people" or "I will cure you of backsliding"?
7. **DISCUSS:** Read Jeremiah 6:10, 16. How have you experienced God's Word bringing correction that later proved life-giving?
8. **PRACTICE:** Identify and replace a broken cistern by spending time praying and listening for how the Lord wants to answer this prayer and guide you towards His spring of living water: *Lord, what am I looking to for satisfaction, security, identity, or comfort more than You?*

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Fill in the blanks: WORSHIPS, RELENTLESSLY, LIVING

