

What Really Matters

Scripture: Jeremiah 9

1. Jeremiah's Deep Grief — Jeremiah 9:1–2
2. A Culture of Lies and Deception — Jeremiah 9:3–6
3. The LORD's Coming Judgment — Jeremiah 9:7–11
4. Why Has This Happened? — Jeremiah 9:12–16
5. A Call to Mourn — Jeremiah 9:17–22
6. What Really Matters — Jeremiah 9:23–24
7. Outward Religion Is Not Enough — Jeremiah 9:25–26

Life Group Guide

For the week of August 16, 2026

God is always teaching us through his Word, the Bible. As we read through the Old Testament in 2026, we invite you to read along in the YouVersion app through The Bible Recap reading plan. Our sermons will follow along with the readings. May God bless us as we read his Word together as a church family!

1. We don't often understand that Jer. 9:23-24 falls within a chapter on divine judgment. Read through chapter 9 and notice for what and why God judges his people.
2. Jeremiah laments in this chapter (see 9:20). Lament is a prayer in pain that leads to trust. What is Jeremiah lamenting about? Could we utter the same lament today?
3. What should we not boast about, according to Jer. 9:23? Why?
4. What does God command us to boast about in Jer. 9:24? What does it mean to understand and know the Lord, Jesus Christ? How can you grow in your understanding of the Lord today?