

## SUNDAY EVENING

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Votum and Salutation

Psalter 390

Scripture Reading: Jeremiah 8

Reading of the

Athanasian Creed, part 2

Prayer

Psalter 16:5-9

Sermon Text: Jer. 8:21-22

### **Broken, Black, and Appalled**

1. *At spiritual apathy*

2. *At impending judgment*

3. *At the refused remedy*

Psalter 138 (standing)

Sermon Conclusion

Closing Prayer

Psalter 431:3-6

Doxology (Psalter 197)

Benediction

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1. *To whom does “the daughter of my people” refer? How does that bring this passage home to each of us in both a narrow and broader sense? (introduction)*
2. *What does Jeremiah’s attitude teach us about identifying ourselves with and mourning over the sins of the broader church and culture in which we live? (introduction)*
3. *What is spiritual apathy and what are its signs? Why is spiritual apathy so dangerous? (point 1)*
4. *What are the judgments that God would send against Israel for her spiritual apathy? What are the lessons for us today? (point 2)*
5. *What three parts of God’s remedy does Israel reject and how does this seal her judgment? (point 3)*
6. *How is Jeremiah’s lament pictured again in the New Testament (cf. Luke 13:34-35; Luke 19:41-44)? (point 3)*
7. *What are the elements of mercy in this passage and how must we apply them with the Lord’s help? (conclusion)*