

Redeemer Presbyterian Church (PCA)

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AN OUTLINE FOR TONIGHT'S SERMON

30 March 2014—PM

THE WICKEDNESS OF THE HEART

Jeremiah 2:23-30

I. Doctrine: There are *Reasons* the Heart _____ for Sinful Things

A. –Because it Truly _____ its Idols, (Jn. 3:19)

B. –Because it _____ its *True* Source of Happiness,
(Jer. 2:13)

II. The _____ of the Wicked Heart, vv. 23-30

A. It _____ Both Fidelity *And* Despair, vv. 23-25

B. It Gives _____-Service to God, while being Committed to
Idols, vv. 26-28

C. It Wants God's Goods, Without _____,
vv. 29-30

III. God's _____ for the Wicked Heart

A. –Let us _____ the Reality of Perverse Love,
(Lk. 15:16-17)

B. –Let us _____ to the Fount of Genuine Satisfaction,
(Matt. 11:28-29)

Key Verses—vv. 26a, 27a: “*As the thief is ashamed when he is found out, so is the house of Israel ashamed . . . Saying to a tree, ‘You are my father,’ and to a stone, ‘You gave birth to me.’ . . .*”

Aim: To Deal Honorably with our Hearts before Christ, for our Good