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- B. Worship services are live streamed on Facebook and YouTube. Watch at <https://www.facebook.com/fumcark> or <https://www.youtube.com/user/fumcark>.
- C. Face masks are optional but strongly encouraged.

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Adopted by First United Methodist Church Council, October 10, 2017.

Soul Care

Friend or
Foe?

Romans 8:5-8



First United Methodist Church

March 20, 2022
3rd Sunday in Lent

9:00 Worship Service
Arkadelphia, AR

Welcome!

Order of Service

Opening Song.....*Newsong Praise Band*

Prayer of Confession & Invitation.....*Congregation*

Announcements.....*Pastor Randy*

Children's Moments for Little Methodists.....*Wanda O'Quinn*

Offering

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer.....*Congregation*

Songs of Praise.....*Newsong Praise Band*

Apostles' Creed.....*Congregation*

Reading God's Word Out Loud..... *Romans 8:5-8, ESV*

Sermon.....*Pastor Randy*

Friend or Foe?

Closing Song.....*Newsong Praise Band*

Benediction/Blessing.....*Pastor Randy*

Sermon Outline

- I. **Betrayed** (James 4:4)
 - A. The Message James 4:4-6a, "You're cheating on God. If all you want is your own way, flirting with the world every chance you get, you end up enemies of God and his way. And do you suppose God doesn't care?"
 - B. Unfaithful
 - C. Friendship
 - D. World
- II. **Money can't buy happiness** (Mt 6:24-26)
- III. **Choose your friend wisely** (Romans 8:5-8)
 - A. William Barclay, *The Letter to the Romans*, The New Daily Study Bible
 - B. Flesh
 - C. Minds
 - D. Submit
 - E. Law

IV. Just show up

Prayers and Remembrances

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Announcements

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