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2. You can live stream services on Facebook or YouTube at **www.facebook.com/fumcark** or **www.youtube.com/user/fumcark**. Watch previous services at **www.fumcark.org/sermons**.
3. Face masks are optional but strongly encouraged.

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

**April 24, 2022 9:00 Worship Service**

**2nd Sunday of Easter 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**

**Offering**

**Pastoral Prayer**

**The Lord’s Prayer**……………………………………………………………..……..*Congregation*

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

**Apostles’ Creed**……………….…………………………..….….…………..……..*Congregation*

**Reading God’s Word Out Loud**…………......................…… *Colossians 3:1-4, NIV*

**Sermon**………………………………………………………….…….....……..……….*Pastor* *Randy*

*Jesus, I Belong to You*

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

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

***Sermon Outline***

1. **The Easter difference**
2. **The difference lies in how you see what you see**
	1. In Christ…In Colosse? Col.1:2
		1. James 4:4-6a
		2. Luke 12:15, ESV
3. **How you see, results in a better life; or not**
	1. Colossians 3:1 “Set your hearts on things above”
	2. Colossians 3:2 “Set your minds on things above”
4. **Jesus, I belong to you! (Col.3:3)**

“Will you be in the world for Christ or in Christ for the world?”

– Robert Mulholland

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