

**FCCO Mission Statement**

**FOLLOW. LOVE. SHARE.**

*Our purpose is to glorify God by following Jesus, loving God and others, and sharing the Gospel.*

**Elder Team**

Fred Burgher  
Jim Cooper  
Pete DeJager  
Eric Diamond  
Peter Eichling  
Drew Gentile  
David Glidden  
Dan Mitchum  
Marc Swenson

**Deacons**

Deb Agin  
Steve Agin  
Laura Buffett  
Dave Casto  
Paul Ferguson  
Fred Holbrook  
Cindy Hyatt  
Chris Major  
Pam Van Auken

**Staff**

Dan Mitchum, Lead Pastor  
Marc Swenson, Associate Pastor  
Sue Bolton, Pastor of Caring Ministries  
Heather Drenning, Worship Arts with Timothy Goodwin, Tech Support  
Joel Gill, Director of Student Ministries  
Sandy Stanard, Director of Kids' Ministries with Cheryl Martin  
Jenn Proulx, Communications  
Roger Proulx, Facilities Manager  
Joan Hodges, Administrative Assistant  
Joe Wilbur, Assistant Treasurer

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**volunteer opportunities**

**Caring Hands Ministry**

**8:00AM TO NOON Saturday, April 23**

Serving in the name of Jesus Christ those who otherwise would not receive help. Always eager to have folks join our team!  
For more info call: Wally (934-5559) or Rick (986-3127)

**Dinner Bell -- Every Saturday at 5:00PM  
in the lower level of the FLC**

Share fellowship and delicious food, Saturday evenings. Come help with dinner prep or clean-up. Come meet the folks who consider Dinner Bell their "community."  
Email Cindy Hyatt for info ([cindy@firstossipee.net](mailto:cindy@firstossipee.net)).



**Growth Groups**



Growth Groups are the primary way we connect at FCCO. Through Growth Groups, we learn to rely on both God and each other as relationships are formed and God's Word is studied. Most take place in homes throughout the week, though some also take place at the church on Wednesday nights.

Check at the Connecting Center or online at [www.firstossipee.org](http://www.firstossipee.org) to find a Growth Group that will work for you.

**memorial service**

The Memorial Service for the Rev. Dr. Arthur A Rounder, a longtime friend and summer attender of FCCO, will be livestreamed from the Colonial Church of Elna, MN at 11:00AM on Thursday, April 21.

Friends from afar can view the service at [www.youtube.com/colonialchurchmn](http://www.youtube.com/colonialchurchmn). In lieu of flowers, memorials may be sent to the Colonial Church of Elna or to The Pilgrim Center for Reconciliation, PO Box 22086, Minneapolis, MN 55422.



**April 17, 2022**  
**8:45AM & 11:00AM**  
**Easter Sunday**

"Let us approach the throne of grace with confidence, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help us in our time of need."

*Hebrews 4:16*



**First Congregational Church of Ossipee**

**Welcome and Highlights**

Marc Swenson  
Associate Pastor

**Call To Worship**

*Christ the Lord Is Risen Today*

**Our Praises**

*He Lives  
Crown Him With Many Crowns  
Is He Worthy*

**TESTIMONY**

**Baptism**

**Prayer**

**Scripture Reading**

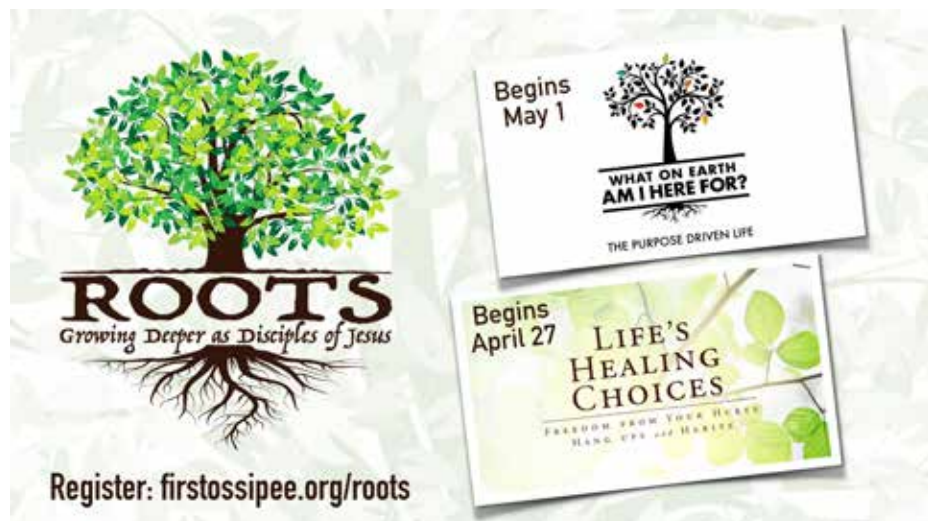
**Receiving His Word**

The Source of Eternal Salvation  
Hebrews 4:14 - 5:10  
Dan Mitchum  
Lead Pastor

**Responding to His Word**

*Living Hope*

**Blessing**



**Life's Healing Choices**

**Begins April 27, 2022**

**Time: Wednesday evenings, 6:30PM**

Happiness and healing are yours for the choosing.

We've all been hurt by other people, we've hurt ourselves, and we've hurt others. And as a result, every single one of us ends up with some sort of hurt, hang-up, or habit. But the question we all face is, "Where do we go from here?"

Life's Healing Choices 8-week DVD series taught by Pastor Rick Warren offers real answers and real hope for healing, based on the Beatitudes as preached by Jesus in the Sermon on the Mount.

After each lesson will we break into smaller discussion groups -- men with men and women with women.

**The Purpose Driven Life**

**Dates: Begins May 1**

**Time: Sunday mornings, 10:00AM**

What on Earth am I here for?

Do you know that you have been created for a purpose?

Rick Warren says, "Your life is not all about you! You were created by God and for God, and until you understand that, life will never make sense. It is in God that we discover our origin, our identity, our meaning, our purpose, our significance, and our destiny. Every other path leads to a dead end."

Join the discussion in this 7-week DVD-driven course and challenge yourself to find a much clearer purpose for your life.



**New to FCCO?**

Pastors Dan, Marc, and Sue would love to get to know you! At **Pizza with the Pastors** on May 15, we'll share about the vision and ministries of the church, provide an opportunity for you to ask questions, and enjoy getting to know one another. Come enjoy some pizza and salad on us!

Register online at [firstossipee.org/events](http://firstossipee.org/events).  
Childcare provided.



**Stampin' Sisters**

**9:00AM Monday, April 18**

Stampin' Sisters meets once-a-month to create beautiful, unique handcrafted note cards. We supply all the materials and a great time is had by all. (\$2/card).

We meet in Tuftonboro and all are welcome. Please call Eva for directions and let her know you're coming (205-3303).

**Outdoor Adventures -- Friday Walking at 10:00AM**

Invite a friend to come along with you and enjoy a springtime hike.

We choose a different destination each week.

For more info, contact Pat ([kpatty1022@yahoo.com](mailto:kpatty1022@yahoo.com)).

**at a glance**

*Opportunities to  
Connect, Equip, and Serve*

**Sunday, April 17 Easter Sunday**

- 8:00AM Worship Service (no Childcare)
- 9:30AM & 11:00AM Worship Services (Childcare and Kids Ministry through 4th grade)
- 8:00PM AA (book meeting)

**Monday, April 18**

- 9:00AM Stampin' Sisters

**Tuesday, April 19**

- 7:30AM Lakes Region Men's Fellowship

**Wednesday, April 20**

- 6:00PM Student Ministries
- 6:30PM Wednesday Night Groups

**Thursday, April 21**

- 10:15AM Community Bible Study
- 8:00PM AA (speaker/discussion)

**Friday, April 22**

OFFICE CLOSED

- 10:00PM Outdoor Adventures
- 10:30AM Al-Anon

**Saturday, April 23**

- 8:00AM Caring Hands
- 5:00PM Dinner Bell

**Sunday, April 24**

- 8:45AM Worship Service (no Childcare)
- 10:00AM Sunday School (all ages)
- 11:00AM Worship Services (Childcare and Kids Ministry through 4th grade)
- 8:00PM AA (book meeting)