

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
Val Custeau
Yvette Eldridge
Paul Ferguson
Jillian Johnson
Fred Holbrook
Chris Major
Kristi Thomas

Staff

Dan Mitchum,
Lead Pastor
Marc Swenson,
Associate Pastor
Sue Bolton,
Pastor of Caring Ministries
Lisa Goodwin and Brendan Davey
Directors of Worship Arts
Timothy Goodwin,
Tech Director
Joel Gill,
Director of Student Ministries
Sandy Stanard,
Director of Kids' Ministries
Stacey Farley,
Asst. Dir. of Kids' Ministries
Jenn Proulx,
Communications
Roger Proulx,
Facilities Manager
Joan Hodges,
Administrative Assistant
Joe Wilbur,
Assistant Treasurer

You Can Help!

For this year's VBS Local Missions Project we are collecting school supplies for local students in need until July 23 at our VBS Sunday Morning Celebration.

Questions? Ask Sandy (sandy@firstossipee.net) or Stacey (stacey@firstossipee.net).

Drop off Donations at the Kids Wing Entrance downstairs:



- Pencil boxes/Pencil Bags
- Glue sticks
- Ticonderoga #2 Pencils
- Crayons
- Colored Pencils
- Erasers
- Small Pencil Sharpeners
- Kids Scissors
- Markers
- Folders
- Lunch bag

looking ahead



Also: register at firstossipee.org/events for Upcoming Events

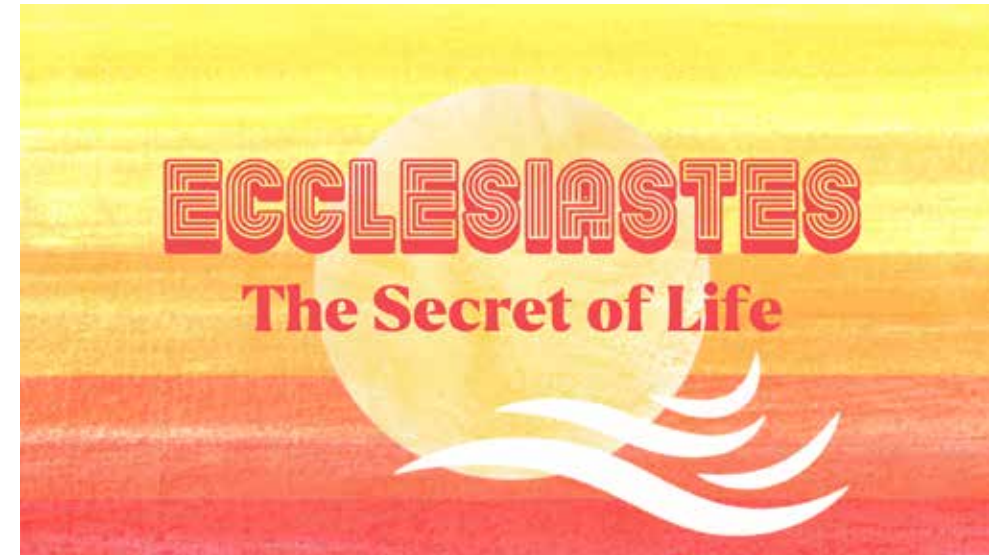


Annual Men's Beast Feast
August 9
6:00-8:30PM in the Field
\$10 & \$15/pp

Men and teens -- bring a friend for an evening of ax throwing, lawn games, hearty burgers (plus exotic meats), and wisdom from God's Word.

1st Annual Tacos and Tie-Dye!
August 9
6:00-8:30PM at Cafe 58
\$10/pp

Moms -- Bring your daughters (grades 7-12) for an evening of fun! Bring a friend along too!



July 9, 2023
9:00 & 10:30AM

Welcome and Highlights

Joel Gill
Director of Student Ministries

Call To Worship

Rejoice
Firm Foundation
Amazing Grace

Prayer

Receiving His Word

Wisdom 101
Ecclesiastes 10:1-20 (Page 1045)
Dan Mitchum
Lead Pastor

Responding To His Word

Coming Back
Blessing

"The fear of the Lord is the beginning of knowledge, but fools despise wisdom and discipline."

Proverbs 1:7



First Congregational Church of Ossipee

{ this week

Join us **TODAY** after the second service as we hike Ossipee's Bayle Mountain (a moderately challenging route with great views of Ossipee Lake and Mount Washington).

Bring a lunch to eat together after the second service before we depart for the 2.4 mile, 2 hour out-and-back hike.

Please be prepared with water, proper footwear, snacks, and anything else your family will need for a successful hike.



Come be challenged and encouraged:
7:00PM -- Friday, July 14

"Hearts of Fire,"

a Voice of the Martyrs live-stream production featuring four women's experience of God's presence in the midst of persecution for their faith.

Gracia Burnham - was held captive
Anita Smith - her husband was martyred
Helen Berhane - was imprisoned
Susanna Koh - her husband was abducted
Desserts/coffee provided by the GO Team.

Please pre-register at [firstossipee.org/events](http://www.firstossipee.org/events)



Lit N' Latte - 10:00AM Monday

Our book discussion group meets once a month. We'd love to have you bring a friend and join us! Please contact Eva Butman for information — 603-205-3303

Outdoor Adventures -- Friday Kayaking at 10:00AM

This week we're kayaking on Merrymeeting Marsh in New Durham! For more info, contact Pat (kpatty1022@yahoo.com).

Dinner Bell

Every Saturday at 4:45PM
in the lower level dining room

Share fellowship and delicious food, Saturday evenings. You can join a team and help serve our community.

Email Jillian Johnson for info (Jml1279@gmail.com).

Menu: Pancakes, Eggs, Sausage, Fruit Salad, and Dessert



{ get plugged in



Growth Groups are the primary way we develop Christ-centered friendships at FCCO.

Relationships are deepened and lives are transformed through the Word of God, the power of prayer, and the presence of the Holy Spirit as people meet together weekly in homes or at the church.

Get info at the Connecting Center in the Atrium or visit [firstossipee.org/event](http://www.firstossipee.org/event).



Great programming for Kids grades K-5 each Sunday morning in the Lower Level Kids Wing.

Do you have a story to share of how God is helping you to live out these priorities? Is there a freshness in your love for Christ? Are you learning to encounter God in a new way in worship? Has God allowed you to engage with another around a cultural issue with a balanced approach of truth and love?



{ at a glance

Opportunities to Connect, Equip, and Serve

Sunday, July 9

9:00 & 10:30AM Worship Service (Childcare and Kids Ministry through 5th grade)
12:00PM Family Hike
7:00PM AA (book meeting)

Monday, July 10

10:00AM Lit N' Latte

Tuesday, July 11

7:30AM Lakes Region Men's Fellowship

Wednesday, July 12

5:30PM Dinner
6:00PM Family VBS
Student Ministries Cafe' 58

Thursday, July 13

8:00PM AA (speaker/discussion)

Friday, July 14

OFFICE CLOSED
10:00AM Outdoor Adventures
10:30AM Al-Anon
7:00PM Hearts of Fire

Saturday, July 15

4:45PM Dinner Bell

Sunday, July 16

9:00 & 10:30AM Worship Service (Childcare and Kids Ministry through 5th grade)
7:00PM AA (book meeting)

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