

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

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looking ahead

November 19 -- Pizza with the Pastors



Pastors Marc and Sue would love to get to know you! Come meet others new to FCCO, learn about the vision and ministries of the church, ask questions, and enjoy some pizza and salad on us! Childcare is provided. Register online at www.firstosspee.org/events.

December 2 - Women's Christmas Breakfast

Ladies, please join us for our Women's Ministry December Breakfast! Charla DeJager will be speaking about "All the Prep Work: Prepping Our Hearts to See God At Work." Please come and bring a friend! Ladies ages 16 and older are invited. Tickets are available online at www.firstosspee.org/events.



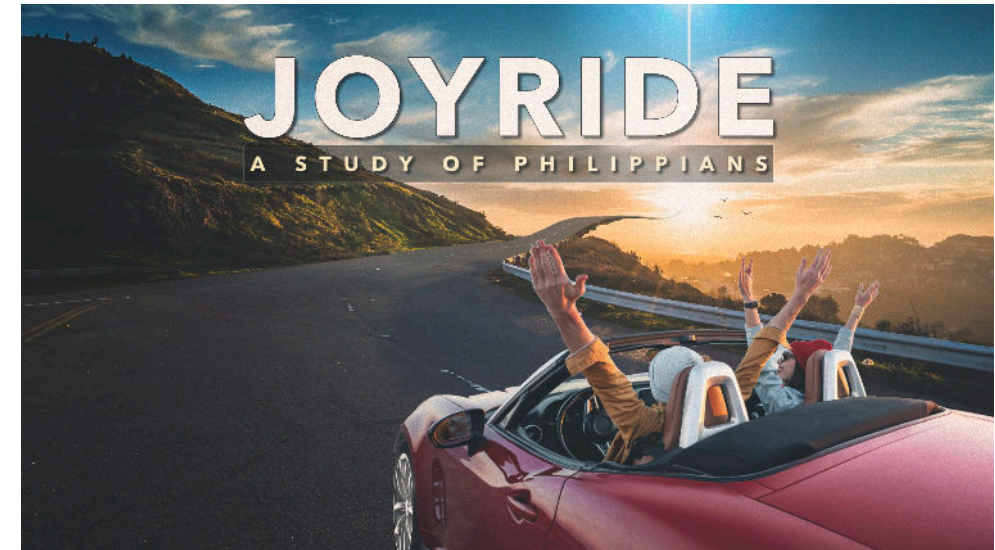
December 2 -- Gingerbread House Night



Join us for some Christmas fun! We will hear the Christmas story, sing some songs, and use our creativity to decorate some gingerbread houses! Graham cracker houses will be made in advance and ready to decorate. Frosting and candy will be provided. Register online at www.firstosspee.org/events.

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November 5, 2023
9:00 & 10:30AM

"But now a righteousness from God, apart from the law, has been made known, to which the Law and the Prophets testify. This righteousness from God comes through faith in Jesus Christ to all who believe."

Romans 3:21-23

Welcome and Highlights

Sue Bolton
Pastor of Caring Ministries

Call To Worship

Bringing Our Praises
House Of The Lord
Come Lord Jesus (Even So Come)
Gratitude

Prayer

Receiving His Word
The Joy of Knowing Jesus
Philippians 3:1-21 (pg. 1828)
Marc Swenson
Associate Pastor

Responding to His Word

Is He Worthy

Blessing



**First Congregational
Church of Ossipee**

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Diaper Drive - November & December

The Diaper Depot is a community organization that provides diapers to families in need in the greater Ossipee area. Diapers must be new and in the original packaging. Collection bins are located in the Atrium (upstairs near the main entrance), Kids' Welcome Desk (downstairs), and the Church Office during November and December. Let's work together to bless local families!

30 Hours Around the World - Nov 1-18

30 Hours Around the World is a partnership between the FCCO Student Ministries and the FCCO Global Outreach team to help students grow a heart for participating in God's work here around the world. Students will fast for 30 hours to experience a glimpse of what so many people live with on a daily basis. All funds raised will support The Bethany Project in Haiti, which provides education and for many students the only meal they will receive each day. Students will also grow a heart for serving their own community through local service projects. Donate online or support a student!

Operation Christmas Child - Nov 1-19

Since 1993, God has used Samaritan's Purse to deliver over 200 million Operation Christmas Child shoebox gifts to children in need and disciple 50 million of these boys and girls. Build a shoebox online or pick one up by the Welcome Desk or in the downstairs Kids Lobby. Boxes must be returned to FCCO by November 19.

Tag Tree for Local Children - Nov 26 - Dec 10

Pick up a tag from the Tag Tree in the Atrium beginning November 26 and return it with the appropriate gift. Tags indicate the age, gender, and need or wish of a child. Place your UNWRAPPED gift under the Tag Tree with the tag firmly attached. Unwrapped gifts are due December 10.

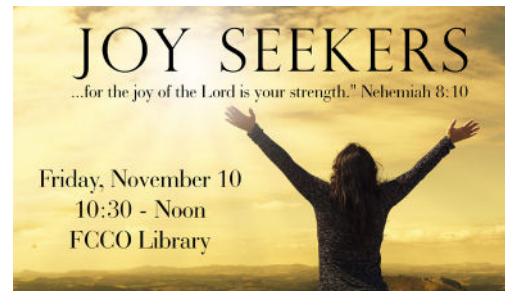
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Security Team Info Session - Today

Are you interested in joining the Security Team? Please join John Cooper for an informational session to learn more and ask questions. Sessions will be held on November 5 and 12 after second service. You only need to attend one session. Contact John for more information at johncooper1388@gmail.com.



Joy Seekers - Friday



Joy Seekers is a ministry that helps widows connect with each other while discovering the love and purpose God has planned for them as they enter and journey through this next season of life. Join us on Friday at 10:30 in the Library. Contact Sue Dorian for more information: pdorian@roadrunner.com.

Art of Parenting Conference - Friday & Saturday



The Art of Parenting Conference will equip married and single parents and grandparents in the most important calling of your lives: to invest your faith in the next generation and teach them to know and love God.

Register today at www.firstossipee.org/events!

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Opportunities to Connect, Equip, and Serve

Sunday, November 5

- 9:00AM Worship Service
- Kids' Ministries (through 6th grade)
- Student Ministries (Grades 7&8)
- D6 Intergenerational Class (Grade 9 through Adult)
- Starting Point
- 10:30AM Worship Service
- Kids' Ministries (through 4th grade)
- 11:45AM Security Team Info Session
- 7:00PM AA (book meeting)

Monday, November 6

- 7:30AM Lakes Region Men's Fellowship

Wednesday, November 8

- 6:00PM Student Ministries
- 6:30PM Growth Groups

Thursday, November 9

- 10:15AM CBS
- 8:00PM AA

Friday, November 10

- OFFICE CLOSED
- 10:00AM Outdoor Adventures
- 10:30AM Joy Seekers
- 10:30AM Al-Anon
- 6:00PM Art of Parenting Conference

Saturday, November 11

- 9:00AM Art of Parenting Conference
- 4:45PM Dinner Bell

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