

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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Eric Diamond
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Drew Gentile
Phil LaRoche
Dan Mitchum
Marc Swenson

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Terry Teets
Kristi Thomas

Staff

Dan Mitchum,
Lead Pastor
Marc Swenson,
Associate Pastor
Sue Bolton,
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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,
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Roger Proulx,
Director of Facilities
Joe Wilbur,
Assistant Treasurer

looking ahead

Church Picnic - June 2



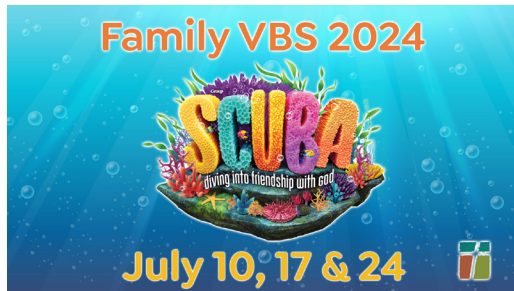
There's nothing that says summer like grilling outside, playing water games, tossing a Frisbee with friends, and of course a slip 'n slide! Join us after worship on Sunday, June 2, for our annual church picnic! More information is at www.firstossipee.org/events.

Baby Dedication Class - June 9

In addition to celebrating fathers on Father's Day, we'll have the joy of dedicating babies to the Lord. As a church, we'll make a commitment to partner with parents as they impress faith into the hearts of their children. For parents interested in participating, please register for the Baby Dedication Class on June 9 at www.firstossipee.org/events.



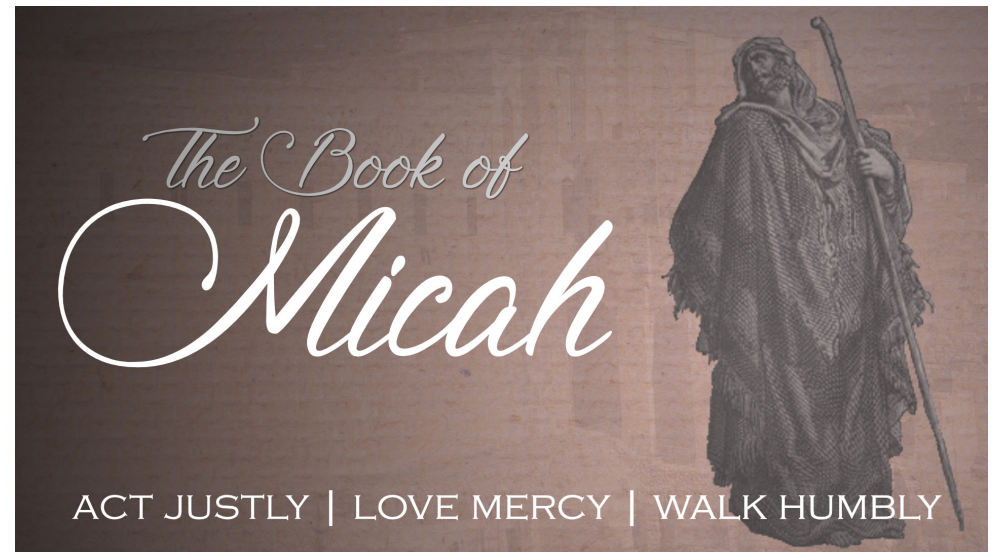
VBS Registration is Open - July 10, 17 & 24



Registration for Family VBS is open! We will be learning God's truths together through songs, Bible stories, and games. Families can come early and enjoy a picnic-style dinner together. This is a great opportunity to invite friends or neighbors. More information and register at firstossipee.org/events.

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Pastor Rene's son, Billy, is in college in NH (from Haiti) and is renting his own apartment. He needs almost all things to set it up. Most important are a bed/bedding, kitchen table/chairs, and a living room chair, but smaller things like a bookshelf, end tables/coffee table, floor lamps, pots to cook in, etc. are also needed. If you have items to donate or want to know the list of specifics, please contact Sandy Stanard at sandy@firstossipee.net or text at 603-285-2949.



May 5, 2024
9:00 & 10:30 AM

Welcome and Highlights
Dan Mitchum
Lead Pastor

Call to Worship

Bringing Our Praises
The Lord's Prayer (It's Yours)
Way Maker
Good Good Father

Prayer

Receiving His Word
Living in God's Rest
Micah 2:1-11 (page 1442)
Marc Swenson
Associate Pastor

Responding to His Word
Holy Forever

Blessing

"Test yourselves to make sure you are solid in the faith. Don't drift along taking everything for granted. Give yourselves regular checkups. You need firsthand evidence, not mere hearsay, that Jesus Christ is in you. Test it out."

2 Corinthians 13:5, MSG



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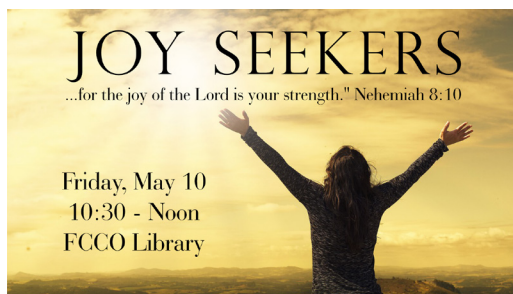
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Outdoor Adventures - Friday at 10:00 am

Outdoor Adventures is a weekly gathering of women on Friday mornings for snowshoeing, walking, and kayaking, depending on the season. Bring a friend! This week we will be kayaking Purity Pond in Madison. Contact Pat Kehoe for more information or directions: kpatty1022@yahoo.com.



Joy Seekers - Friday at 10:30 am



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. If you're a new widow or one who is still traversing the healing process of widowhood, please join us on Friday at 10:30 in the FCCO Library.



Spring Cleanup - May 11

We need your help to make the campus look beautiful! Can you and your family join us on Saturday, May 11, for an hour or two or the whole morning? We'll rake, clean and mulch flower beds, spread wood chips, and enjoy time together. Many hands make light work! Register at www.firstossipee.org/events.

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Niger Info Meeting

We're following Jesus to Niger! In 2025, FCCO has the unique opportunity to partner with our global workers in Niger. Come to one of our brief informational meetings on Sunday, May 19, at 9:00 or 11:45 am to hear about bringing the Light to Africa. All interested adults and older teens with a parent are invited.



Women's Retreat - May 31 - June 1

Women and young women (age 14+) are invited to a retreat designed for us to grow closer to God and other women through intentional time and activities. The retreat will be filled with teaching, meals, worship, campfires, activities, and quiet time. For more information and to register, visit www.firstossipee.org/events.

{ at a glance

Sunday, May 5

- 9:00AM Worship Service
- Kids' Ministries (through 6th grade)
- Student Ministries (Grades 7&8)
- D6 Intergenerational Class (Grade 9 through Adult)
- Purpose Driven Life (Room A/B)
- 10:30AM Worship Service
- Kids' Ministries (through 4th grade)
- 7:00PM AA (book meeting)

Monday, May 6

- 6:30PM Trail Life

Tuesday, May 7

- 7:30AM Lakes Region Men's Fellowship
- 1:30PM Men's Step Study
- 6:00PM Women's Step Study

Wednesday, May 8

- 6:00PM Student Ministries
- 6:30PM Life's Healing Choices
- 6:30PM Growth Groups

Thursday, May 9

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

Friday, May 10

- OFFICE CLOSED
- 10:00AM Outdoor Adventures
- 10:30AM Joy Seekers
- 10:30AM AI-Anon

Saturday, May 11

- 8:00AM Spring Cleanup
- 4:45PM Dinner Bell

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