

FCCO Mission Statement

FOLLOW. LOVE. SHARE.

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

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 church center

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Event registrations, calendar,
online giving, church directory,
and more, all in one place.



looking ahead...

Joy Seekers Widow's Ministry - Friday, September 11

Joy Seekers is a ministry that helps widows connect while discovering the love and purpose God has planned for them as they 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 contact Terri at tjtt52@gmail.com or 603-520-4814.



Red Cross Blood Drive - Friday, September 11



Give the gift of life at our upcoming blood drive on Friday, September 11, from 12:00–4:30 pm. Blood donations are always needed and can make a life-saving difference for patients in our community and beyond. Schedule your appointment ahead at redcrossblood.org.

Men's Retreat - September 18-19

Men, we've got an incredible opportunity to step away from the busyness of life and gather with other guys from FCCO for a powerful 24-hour retreat at Camp Sentinel that's sure to recharge your soul! More information and register at www.firstossipee.org/events.



Pizza with the Pastors - September 20



Pastors Dan, Marc, Sue, and Joseph 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 at www.firstossipee.org/events.



September 6, 2026

9:00 & 10:30 AM

Welcome & Highlights

Marc Swenson
Co-Lead Pastor

Call to Worship

Bringing Our Praises

Praise
Psalm 8 (How Majestic Is Your Name)
I Set My Hope on Jesus

Prayer

Receiving His Word

Jehovah Shalom
The Lord is Our Peace
Judges 6:11-24 (page 381)
Dan Mitchum
Co-Lead Pastor

Responding to His Word

Trust in God

Blessing



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fall classes & groups

ADULT GROUPS & CLASSES



Growth Groups
Life is better together.



The Gathering
A Community of the Word

Sundays at 9:00 am, Room C/D



4-Week Milestone Class
Courageous Parenting

Sundays at 9:00 am
Sept. 13 - Oct. 4



COMMUNITY BIBLE STUDY

Thursday mornings beginning September 10
for women, children & teens

More information & register at firstossipee.org/cbs



GriefShare
Support Group

Saturdays 9:30-11:30 am
September 12 - December 5
Room B
firstossipee.org/events

Help and encouragement after the death of a loved one



CELEBRATE RECOVERY

FREEDOM IS POSSIBLE!

Open Share groups
Tuesdays, 6-8 pm
& Celebration Place (ages 5-13)

www.firstossipee.org/events

Growth Groups - Growth groups are the primary way we develop Christ-centered friendships at FCCO. These groups of 10-14 people meet weekly in the home or at church to share life together as they study Sunday's sermon.

The Gathering - Join us for The Gathering: A Community of the Word, where faith and fellowship come together. In this time we will cultivate a deep connection with Scripture and each other. Open to adults and high school students. Sunday mornings at 9:00 in Room C/D.

Courageous Parenting - Parents and grandparents, join us for a 4-week Milestone Class on Sunday mornings at 9:00, September 13 through October 4. We will be using the book "Courageous Parenting." Throughout the class, we'll explore biblical principles for raising children with courage and purpose.

Community Bible Study - Come experience what happens in people's lives when they discover God through the study of His Word, the Bible. The weekly format includes home study questions, small group discussion, overview lecture, and commentary. For women, teens and children. Thursday mornings from 10:00-12:00, beginning September 10.

GriefShare Support Group - This is a well-known curriculum that assists anyone who is grieving from the loss of a loved one. Whether your loss is recent or not so recent, this group will be a safe place to process and understand your grief with others who understand the journey. Saturday mornings from 9:30-11:30, beginning September 12.

Celebrate Recovery Open Share - These groups provide a platform for confidential sharing and mutual encouragement for hurts, hang-ups, and habits, based on the 12 steps and the 8 principles of recovery. Men meet with men and women meet with women. Tuesday evenings from 6:00-8:00.

More information about each class/group is at www.firstossipee.org/events.

fall classes & groups

Faith for Every Ability - Continues Today!

This is a supportive and inclusive Sunday morning class for adults of all abilities and learning needs. This class offers a welcoming space to explore faith, grow in community, and engage with Scripture in ways that are accessible and encouraging for everyone. The class meets on Sundays at 10:30 am in Room E.

FAITH FOR EVERY ABILITY

FOR ADULTS OF ALL ABILITIES AND LEARNING NEEDS

SUNDAYS AT 10:30 AM
ROOM E



Trail Life - Begins September 14!

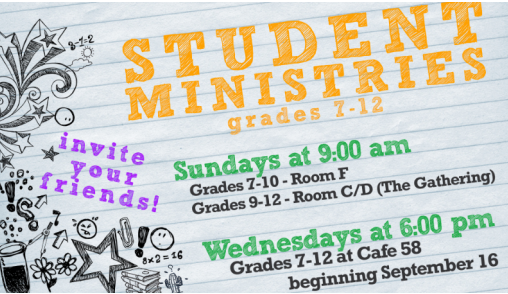
Trail Life is a Christ-centered program in a structured outdoor environment where boys are engaged in real-world challenges and learn character and leadership in a practical, hands-on manner. Trail Life meets Mondays at 6:30 pm in the dining room, and is open to all boys ages 5-18. Learn more at www.firstossipee.org/events.

Mondays at 6:30 pm | Begins September 14 | www.firstossipee.org/traillife



Trail Life
Adventure > Character > Leadership

Student Ministries Wednesday Nights - Begins September 16!



STUDENT MINISTRIES
grades 7-12

invite your friends!

Sundays at 9:00 am
Grades 7-10 - Room F
Grades 9-12 - Room C/D (The Gathering)

Wednesdays at 6:00 pm
Grades 7-12 at Cafe 58
beginning September 16

Students in grades 7-12 are invited to Wednesday Nights at Cafe 58 from 6-8 pm beginning September 16. This year's theme is Anchored: Anchored in Biblical Truth from Hebrews 6:19. No matter where your child is in their faith, these groups will allow them to take the next steps in their journey.

Young Adult Ministry - Thursdays at 6:45 pm!



The Young Adult Ministry is open to college students, young professionals, young married couples, and other young adults throughout the greater Ossipee area. No matter where you are in your faith journey, you are welcome here. Thursday nights at 6:45 pm on the back field (or Cafe 58 if it's raining). www.firstossipee.org/

at a glance...

Sunday, September 6
9:00AM Worship Service
The Gathering (Room C/D)
Student Ministries (Grades 7-10)
Kids' Ministries (through 6th grade)
10:30AM Worship Service
Faith for Every Ability (Room E)
Kids' Ministries (through 4th grade)
7:00PM AA

Monday, September 7
Office Closed for Labor Day

Tuesday, September 8
7:30AM Lakes Region Men's Fellowship
6:00PM Celebrate Recovery
6:00PM Celebration Place (ages 5-13)

Wednesday, September 9

Thursday, September 10
10:15AM Community Bible Study
6:45PM Young Adult Ministry (Cafe 58)
8:00PM AA

Friday, September 11
Church Office Closed
10:00AM Joy Seekers Widows Ministry
10:00AM Outdoor Adventures
10:30AM Al-Anon
12:00PM Red Cross Blood Drive

Saturday, September 12
9:30AM GriefShare
4:45PM Dinner Bell

FCCO's BIBLE RECAP

Week of September 6-12

- ☒ Day 090 - Judges 6-7
- ☒ Day 091 - Judges 8-9
- ☒ Day 092 - Judges 10-12

 www.firstossipee.org/bible 