

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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Stacey Farley,
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Roger Proulx,
Director of Facilities
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looking ahead...

Nerf Wars (Grades 7-12) - Friday, October 23



Invite a friend out to the most epic Nerf battle of the year! \$5 gets you food, fun, and more Nerf action than you can imagine. Nerf Wars takes place from 5:30-8:00 pm on Friday, October 23, at Cafe 58 for all students in grades 7-12. Don't miss it! Register online at www.firstossipee.org/events.

Fall Cleanup - Saturday, October 31

We need your help to prepare the campus for winter! Please join us on Saturday, October 31, from 8 am to noon as we rake and dispose of leaves, trim shrubs, weed flower beds, and get to know each other. Light snacks will be provided. Many hands make light work! Please register in advance: www.firstossipee.org/events.



Baptism Prep Classes - November 1 & 8



If you would like to be baptized during our Thanksgiving services on November 22, please join us for our baptism preparation classes on November 1 and 8. During our first class, we will discuss the meaning of baptism and why it is so important in the life of the believer. Register at www.firstossipee.org/events.

For Generations to Come Celebration Banquet - November 13

Save the date for our Celebration Banquet on Friday, November 13! This will be an opportunity for our entire church family to come together, celebrate God's faithfulness, and look ahead with excitement to what He has in store for the generations to come. More information will be available soon at www.firstossipee.org/events.



October 4, 2026

9:00 & 10:30 AM

Welcome & Highlights

Dan Mitchum
Co-Lead Pastor

Call to Worship

Bringing Our Praises

Great Things
Joyful Joyful We Adore Thee
King of Kings

Prayer

Receiving His Word

Legacy Giving
1 Chronicles 29:1-9; 17-20 (page 671)
Marc Swenson
Co-Lead Pastor

Responding to His Word

Your Name Is God

Blessing

"Everyone who was willing and whose heart moved them came and brought an offering to the Lord for the work on the tent of meeting, for all its service, and for the sacred garments"

Exodus 35:21



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coming up...

Please register by October 4!



Membership Class - Saturday!

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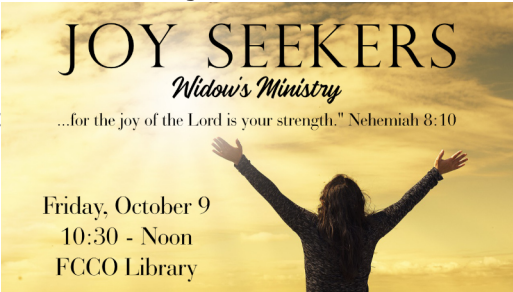
OCTOBER 10
8:30 - 1:00 PM

Register: firstossipee.org/events

During our membership class we will look at FCCO's Statement of Faith, mission, and values; we'll share our faith stories; and we'll discuss the commitments members make to fulfill the mission of our church! Lunch and snacks are provided. Please register by Sunday, October 4, at www.firstossipee.org/events.

Joy Seekers - Friday!

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.



JOY SEEKERS

Widow's Ministry

...for the joy of the Lord is your strength." Nehemiah 8:10

Friday, October 9
10:30 - Noon
FCCO Library



Luncheon

Sunday, October 11
12:00-2:00 pm

Childcare is available!

Registration Closes Friday, October 9

We invite you to join us for a special Capital Campaign luncheon where you will learn more about the proposed project, hear how God is leading our church, and have an opportunity to ask questions. Childcare is available for those who register. Registration closes on Friday, October 9, at 6:00 pm.

Starting Point - Sunday Mornings beginning Oct 25

Are you curious about the Christian faith, new to it, or reexamining what it means to have a relationship with God? We'd like to invite you into a conversational group environment called Starting Point to explore faith, ask questions, and experience community. Sunday mornings at 9:00, October 25 through December 13. Room A/B



BEGINS OCTOBER 25

starting point

A CONVERSATION ABOUT FAITH

fcco in action...



BE THE CHURCH

FCCO in Action

OCTOBER 18

CHURCHWIDE DAY OF SERVING - NO MORNING WORSHIP

Register at www.firstossipee.org/fcco-in-action

On Sunday, October 18, we're taking church beyond the walls! Instead of our regular morning worship services, our entire church family will head into the community to serve our neighbors in practical, tangible ways.

Registration: Thank you to the 215 people who have already signed up! There are still more than 100 slots remaining. There is something for everyone—whether you enjoy working outdoors, writing encouraging cards, praying, or serving behind the scenes. Register online or at the table in the Atrium today!

Project/Group Information: If you have signed up, check your email for a “You’ve Been Added to a Group” message. This group has all of the important details you need, including who is the team leader and how to contact them, the specific details of your project, what tools are required, etc. You can also find your group in the Groups tab on the Church Center app.

What to Bring: In addition to the tools specific for your project, everyone should come prepared with a water bottle and any snacks you need for the morning. Lunch will be provided at noon. T-shirts will be distributed at the Welcome/Team Meeting at 8:30. Lunch and worship will be outdoors, so bring a chair or blanket.

Childcare: Childcare is available for infants, toddlers, and preschool. Children must be registered in advance!

Schedule: All team members will meet in the Sanctuary at 8:30am for a welcome and team meeting, then depart for their projects. Teams will return to FCCO for lunch at Noon followed by a time of worship and sharing until 2:30pm.

at a glance...

- Sunday, October 4**

 - 9:00AM Worship Service
 - Courageous Parenting (Room A/B)
 - 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)
 - 12:00PM For Generations to Come Lunch
 - 7:00PM AA
- Monday, October 5**

 - 6:30PM Trail Life (boys ages 5-18)
- Tuesday, October 6**

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

 - 6:00PM Student Ministries (Grades 7-12)
 - 6:30PM Growth Groups
- Thursday, October 8**

 - 10:15AM Community Bible Study
 - 6:45PM Young Adult Ministry (Cafe 58)
 - 8:00PM AA
- Friday, October 9**

 - Church Office Closed
 - 10:00AM Outdoor Adventures
 - 10:30AM Joy Seekers
 - 10:30AM Al-Anon
- Saturday, October 10**

 - 7:30AM BetterMan CORE
 - 8:30AM Membership Class
 - 9:30AM GriefShare
 - 4:45PM Dinner Bell

FCCO's BIBLE RECAP

Week of October 4-10

- ✓ Day 103 - 1 Samuel 18-20, Psalm 11, 59
- ✓ Day 104 - 1 Samuel 21-24
- ✓ Day 105 - Psalm 7, 27, 31, 34, 52

www.firstossipee.org/bible