

**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**

**George Bowling**  
**Pete DeJager**  
**Eric Diamond**  
**Peter Eichling**  
**Drew Gentile**  
**Phil LaRoche**  
**Dan Mitchum**  
**Marc Swenson**

**Deacons**

**Deb Agin**  
**Steve Agin**  
**Laura Buffett**  
**Dave Casto**  
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**Yvette Eldridge**  
**Paul Ferguson**  
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**Chris Major**  
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**Kristi Thomas**

**Staff**

**Dan Mitchum,**  
Lead Pastor  
**Marc Swenson,**  
Associate Pastor  
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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,**  
Communications &  
Office Manager  
**Roger Proulx,**  
Director of Facilities  
**Joe Wilbur,**  
Assistant Treasurer

looking ahead

**Senior Banquet - June 5**

The Senior Banquet is a semi-formal event which includes a wonderful meal, great fellowship, and a time to honor our graduating high school seniors. Students in grades 7-12 and immediate family members of high school seniors are invited to attend on June 5 from 6:00-8:00 pm in the Dining Room. Please register at [www.firstossipee.org/events](http://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](http://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](http://firstossipee.org/events).



**Caring Hands - New Look**



Caring Hands is a dynamic men's ministry assisting those in the local church community who can use a "Caring Hand" with projects around their home. They are dedicated to helping the elderly, widowed, single moms, and those with a disability. To get involved or learn more, visit [www.firstossipee.org/caringhands](http://www.firstossipee.org/caringhands).



**May 19, 2024**  
9:00 & 10:30 AM

**Welcome and Highlights**

Marc Swenson  
Associate Pastor

**Call to Worship**

**Bringing Our Praises**

*Open Up the Heavens*  
*Raise A Hallelujah*  
*Made For More*

**Family Communion**

**Prayer**

**Receiving His Word**

God's Faithful Remnant  
Micah 2:12-13 (page 1442)  
Dan Mitchum  
Lead Pastor

**Benevolence Offering**

*Goodness of God*

**Blessing**



**First Congregational  
Church of Ossipee**



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### Niger Info Meeting - Today



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

### Baby Bottle Fundraiser - Take a Bottle Today

Take home a baby bottle to fill with coins, bills, or checks to bless mothers in crisis who choose life for their unborn children. The bottles will be returned to Haven Pregnancy Services in Plymouth, NH and all funds will be used to help new moms and dads who come through their doors. Return filled bottles by Father's Day.



### Women's Retreat - Registration Deadline Tomorrow



Women and young women (age 14+) are invited to a retreat on May 31-June 1. 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. Register by May 20 at [www.firstossipee.org/events](http://www.firstossipee.org/events).

### Stampin' Sisters - Tuesday at 9:00 am

Stampin' Sisters will meet on Tuesday, May 21, at 9:00 am at the home of Eva Butman. The cost is \$3.00 per card. All are welcome, including beginners--instructions and materials are provided. This is a great way to have fun and fellowship. Please reply to [Evabutman324@gmail.com](mailto:Evabutman324@gmail.com).



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### Church Picnic - June 2

There's nothing that says summer like grilling outside, playing games with friends, and a slip 'n slide! Join us after worship on Sunday, June 2, for our annual church picnic! Please bring a dish to share according to your last name: A-H drinks, I-Q chips or side dishes, R-Z desserts. This is a great opportunity to invite a friend! More information or to sign up to volunteer at [www.firstossipee.org/events](http://www.firstossipee.org/events).



Help us honor all those in our FCCO family who are graduating from high school or college this spring! Please email [joel@firstossipee.net](mailto:joel@firstossipee.net) by June 2 with a photo of the graduate, the name of the school, the degree earned, and plans for next year.

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### Sunday, May 19

- 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)
- Niger Info Meeting (Dining Room)
- 10:30AM Worship Service
- Kids' Ministries (through 4th grade)
- 11:45AM Niger Info Meeting (Dining Room)
- 2:00PM Mountain View Church Service
- 7:00PM AA (book meeting)

### Monday, May 20

- 6:30PM Trail Life

### Tuesday, May 21

- OFFICE CLOSED FOR STAFF RETREAT
- 7:30AM Lakes Region Men's Fellowship
- 9:00AM Stampin' Sisters
- 1:30PM Men's Step Study
- 6:00PM Women's Step Study

### Wednesday, May 22

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

### Thursday, May 23

- 8:00PM AA

### Friday, May 24

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

### Saturday, May 25

- 4:45PM Dinner Bell

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