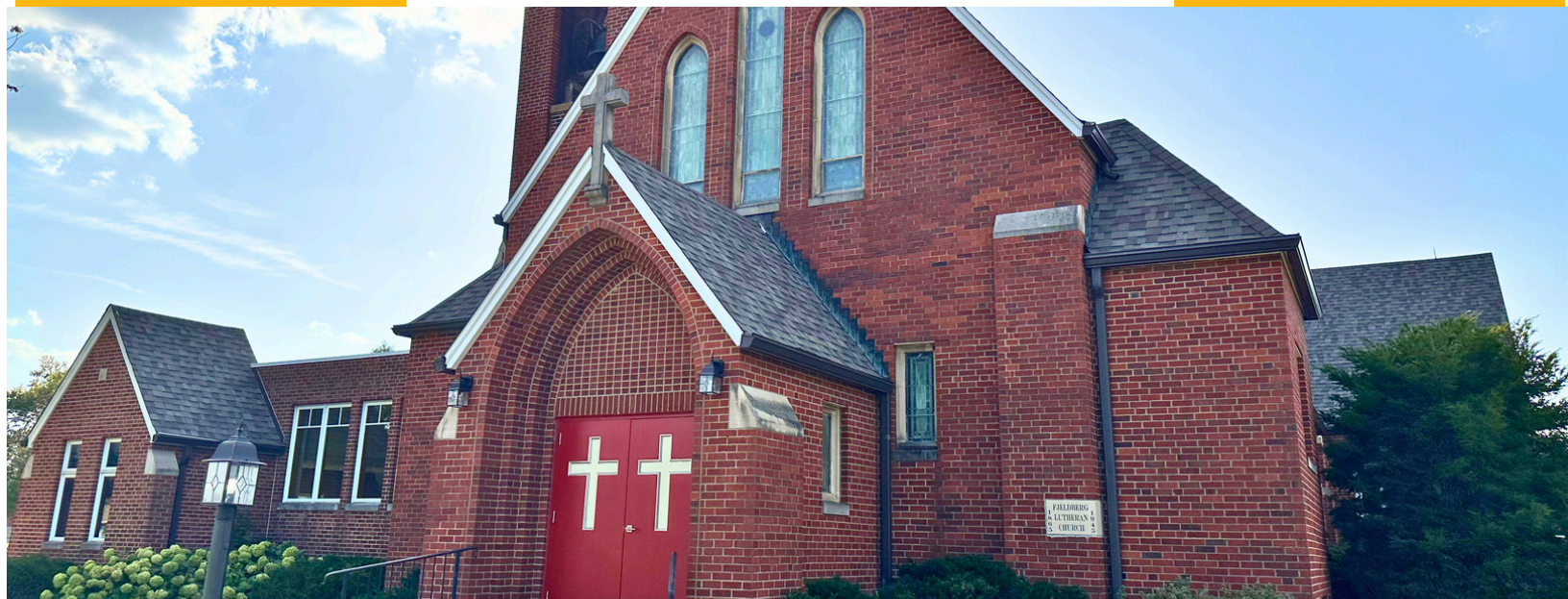




FJELDBERG NEWSLETTER



DATES TO REMEMBER:

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL
JUNE 21-25
5:30 - 8:00 PM

**JOIN US FOR WORSHIP ON
SUNDAYS AT 9:00AM**

FROM PASTOR TIM:

I love summer! Summer is a great time to get outside and enjoy a different pace of life. Our pace changes quite a bit with the kids home from school, camps, summer adventures, and tending to our landscaping. The list of to-dos can get rather long, and there certainly isn't a shortage of fun to be had.

Yet, in the midst of all the busyness and fun that summer brings, my hope is that our faith growth doesn't stop. Discipleship is a lifelong journey that can happen anywhere, not just at church. What would it look like for you and your people to have faith-filled conversations as you go about your summer adventures?

That's not to say you shouldn't come to church; I hope you continue to worship with us. But with a change in routine comes new opportunities to live out your faith and grow as disciples in everyday life.

Peace,
Tim

What's been happening!

The United Way of Story County Food Drive was Friday, May 8th.
The Huxley Food Pantry was blessed with many donations.



H.I.S. Choir sang May 10th



Senior Recognition Sunday
May 10.



JOYFUL Bells played May 17th



Bibles were presented on May 17th



What's coming up!

➤➤➤ PASTORAL CARE

Pastor Tim is more than willing and quite enjoys meeting with you. If you have emergencies, are in the hospital, or want a visit, please let Pastor Tim know; he can't visit you if he doesn't know. You can call the church at any time, and extension 1 rings to his cellphone.

➤➤➤ THURSDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY



Our Thursday morning Bible study, is watching season 2 of The Chosen prior to our gathering and then discussing from 9:30am - 10:30am.

This month, we are meeting on Thursday, June 11 (ep.3) and 25 (ep.4) in the Youth Room. All are welcome to join!

➤➤➤ HOLY LAND PILGRIMAGE

Pastor Tim is excited to lead a pilgrimage to the Holy Land with Pastor Gloria Dovre, January 8–18, 2027.

Scripture comes alive in powerful ways when we see the places where it unfolded. Walking where Jesus walked and visiting the landscapes of his ministry offers a deeply formative faith experience, one that stays with you long after you return home.

We are planning with care and flexibility. If conditions in Israel and the surrounding region are not safe at that time, an alternative pilgrimage experience will be offered in its place. Our hope and prayer is that the region will be stable and open for travel by 2027, so we can share this journey together in the Holy Land itself.

[Click here to learn more about this faith fulfilling pilgrimage](#)



➤➤➤ COMMUNITY FREEZER MEALS

Our community freezer is full of meals to share with our community again!

You are welcome to come and take any meals that would be helpful to you

COUNCIL MEMBERS:

Allison Rigler-President
- Vice President

Sue Osier-Treasurer
Kathy Wilson-Secretary

Ron Bollmeyer
Heather Bristow

Patty Foley

Sue Lande

Mick Pedersen

Zach Swanson

Linda Eklund

STAFF

Tim Jacobsen
Pastor

Heather Bristow
Choir Director

Jan Nyhus
Church Administrator

Lisa Pedersen
Musician

Paul Van Ryswyk
Musician

John Wilson
Facilities and Communications
Coordinator

Kids, Student, & Youth Ministry



>>> VBS THIS MONTH!

We are hosting VBS June 21-25! Be sure that you get the kids in your life signed up for VBS. Students 6th grade up can also be volunteers. All are welcome and encouraged to participate.

[Register](http://www.flchuxley.org/vbs) →

If you would like to volunteer at VBS you can sign up below, we still need many volunteers.

[Serve](#) →

>>> SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL

We love kids in worship, and summer is a great time for kids to engage in worship! We realize that parents may need some space to take in worship. There will be some activities for younger kids during the sermon in the youth room. Kids are welcome to move around during worship and do some quiet activities provided in the back of the sanctuary.

>>> STAFFING UPDATE

Dear Church Family,

I wanted to share an update with you about our Kids, Student, and Youth Ministries. Braden Hayes will no longer be serving as our Faith Formation Coordinator. We are grateful for the time and energy he shared in ministry, and we ask that you keep him in your prayers during this transition.

We value discipleship and faith growth, and remain committed to equipping our Kids, Students, and Youth to grow in faith, grow in community, and share God's love. I will keep you updated as we move forward and enter into a hiring process

Thank you for your prayers, patience, and support during this time of transition. I am grateful for your care for one another and for the shared commitment we have to helping people grow in faith, grow in community, and share God's love together.

Grace and peace,
Tim Jacobsen
Pastor

Get Connected

>>> JOY SEEKERS



**Thursday, Tuesday June 9th
6:00 P.M.**

**BBQ at John & Kathy W.'s
in Huxley**

Hamburgers, Hot Dogs, Brat Patties
& Brat Links provided
Water & Lemonade provided.

Bring a side dish to share.

R.S.V.P. to John or Kathy W.
or contact the Church Office
515-597-2831

We would love to have you join us.

>>> CARD GROUPS



We have two groups that meet each week to play cards, have fun, conversation, and treats.

The Ladies Group meets every Monday afternoon at 1:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.

The Men's Group meets each week on Tuesday afternoons at 1:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.

>>> OUT TO BRUNCH BUNCH

The Out to Brunch Bunch meets after Fellowship on the 3rd Sunday of each month to have brunch at the Tournament Club of Iowa in Polk City.

We would love to have you join us!

>>> CONNECT ONLINE



Like & follow us on
Facebook & Instagram

>>> WORSHIP ONLINE



www.flchuxley.org/worship-online

Live on Sundays at 9:00am
Recordings available anytime

Worship & Music



Our Organ Repair Fund is getting close to our **\$21,000 goal.** There is still time to make a donation before repairs begin this summer. Thank you to everyone who has already given.

New Banners for the sanctuary.



If you are interested in joining either H.I.S. Choir or JOYRFUL Bells, please contact Heather B. Rehearsals will restart toward the end of August.

If you are interested in providing Special Music one or more Sundays during the summer, please contact Jan in the Church Office.

JUNE 2026 CALENDAR

Monday, June 1st

1:00P Women's Card Group (Fellowship Hall)

Tuesday, June 2nd

1:00P Men's Card Group (Fellowship Hall)

Thursday, June 4th

10:00A Huxley Food Pantry is open

6:00 P Huxley Food Pantry is open

Sunday, June 7th - 2nd Sunday after Pentecost

9:00A Worship with Communion

Also live-streamed on YouTube.

Fjeldberg Kids (3yrs-6th Grade) during worship!

10:00A Coffee, treats & conversation

Monday, June 8th

1:00P Women's Card Group (Fellowship Hall)

Tuesday, June 9th

1:00P Men's Card Group (Fellowship Hall)

Wednesday, June 10th

6:30P Church Council

Thursday, June 11th

9:30A Thursday Bible Study (Youth Room)

10:00A Huxley Food Pantry open

6:00P Huxley Food Pantry is open

Sunday, June 14th - 3rd Sunday after Pentecost

9:00A Worship with Communion

Also live-streamed on YouTube.

Fjeldberg Kids (3yrs-6th Grade) during worship

10:00A Coffee, treats & conversation (Fellowship Hall)

Monday, June 15th

1:00P Women's Card Group (Fellowship Hall)

Tuesday, June 16th

Fjeldberg Quilters End of Season Lunch

1:00P Men's Card Group (Fellowship Hall)

Thursday, June 18th

10:00A Huxley Food Pantry open

6:00P Huxley Food Pantry is open

Sunday, June 21st - 4th Sunday after Pentecost

9:00A Worship with Communion

Also live-streamed on YouTube

10:00A Coffee, treats & conversation

5:30P VBS begins here at Fjeldberg

Monday, June 22nd

1:00P Ladies Card Group

5:30P VBS at Fjeldberg

Tuesday, June 23rd

1:00P Men's Card Group

5:30P VBS at Fjeldberg

Wednesday, June 24th

5:30P VBS at Fjeldberg

Thursday, June 25th

9:30A Thursday Bible Study (Youth Room)

10:00A Huxley Food Pantry open

5:30P VBS at Fjeldberg

6:00P Huxley Food Pantry is open

Sunday, June 28th - 5th Sunday after Pentecost

9:00A Worship with Communion

Also live-streamed on YouTube.

10:00A Coffee, treats & conversation (Fellowship Hall)

Monday, June 29th

1:00P Women's Card Group (Fellowship Hall)

Tuesday, June 30th

1:00P Men's Card Group (Fellowship Hall)



VBS 2026
June 21-25
5:30P-8:00P

REGISTER AT:
WWW.FLCHUXLEY.ORG/VBS

TRUE NORTH
Trusting Jesus in a Wild World

JUNE Worship Servers

➤➤➤ JUNE 7TH

Church Musician: Lisa P.
Altar Guild: Peggy W. and Sharyn E.
Bread Baker: Patty H.
Liturgist (Now the Feast): Mel V.
Acolytes: ???
Greeters: Justin & Amber P.
Reader: Mel V.
Proclaim Slides: Sue E.
Communion Assistants: Tracey R., Patty F., Molly S.
Altar Flowers: Krisi P.
Fellowship Hosts: Bob & Sue J. and Nancy S-C.
Sound: Bill H.

➤➤➤ JUNE 14TH

Church Musician: Lisa P.
Altar Guild: Peggy W. and Sharyn E.
Bread Baker: NA
Liturgist (Setting 10): NA
Acolytes: Zaiden S.
Greeters: Zach & Britt S. Family
Reader: Heidi L.
Proclaim Slides: Braxley & Tayva S.
Communion Assistants: Heidi L. & Suzy B.
Altar Flowers: Jan Nyhus in memory of Loved Ones
Fellowship Hosts: Marc & Char R. & Margaret O.
Sound: Mel V.

➤➤➤ JUNE 21ST

Church Musician: Paul V.R.
Altar Guild: Peggy W. and Sharyn E.
Bread Baker: Patty H.
Liturgist (Now the Feast): Tim E.
Acolytes: ???
Greeters: Mick & Lisa P.
Reader: Sharyn E.
Proclaim Slides: Dan E.
Communion Assistants: Peggy W.
Altar Flowers: Gene & Marita R.
Fellowship Hosts: Beth & Blane T. & Tim & Sue E.
Sound: Heather B.

➤➤➤ JUNE 28TH

Church Musician: Paul V. R.
Altar Guild: Peggy W. and Sharyn E.
Liturgist (Setting 10): NA
Acolytes: Alex Cowles-Hackett
Greeters: ???
Reader: Bruce M.
Proclaim Slides: Jan N.
Communion Assistants: Nancy S-C. **and ???**
Altar Flowers: Gary & Jackie F. in honor of their anniversary
Fellowship Hosts:
Sound: Bill H.



Ways to Serve

➤➤➤ HUXLEY FOOD PANTRY

May 2026 Statistics

Households Served: 49 Total People Served: 152

Age Groups: 0-18: 52 19-59: 73 60+: 27

Huxley Food Pantry Needs:

- Grocery Store Gift Cards (Fareway and HyVee)
- Cash donations
- Personal care products & small bottles cleaning supplies
- Small containers of ketchup, mustard, and mayo
- Juice boxes (Apple, Grape, Berry)
- Paper products (especially paper towels & kleenex)
- Fruit cups (all varieties)
- Graham crackers & saltine crackers

➤➤➤ FUNERAL DESSERT MAKERS

We are fortunate to have a community that supports one another so well. In times of mourning, there is a need for desserts to accompany the catered lunches at funerals.

If you are able to contribute a dozen or two desserts when the occasion arises, please inform Jan in the church office. We will email out to our list of volunteers when a funeral arises and if you are able to make a dessert you can let us know.



Regular Food Pantry Hours
Thursdays 10-11 a.m. AND 6-7 p.m.

Huxley Area Food Pantry

We are thankful for the opportunity to share God's love through our food pantry, and meet the needs of those in our community! The need continues for food and monetary donations, but we also need people to serve. If you are able to volunteer sign up at the link above. We will train you before your first shift.

VOLUNTEERS to work [Ejeldberg Lutheran Church: Huxley/Kelley Food Pantry Volunteers](https://www.ejeldberg.org) (signupgenius.com).

➤➤➤ FJELDBERG QUILTERS

Our quilters recently donated 5 of their quilts to **Sleep in Heavenly Peace**, an organization that provides beds to children who don't have a bed. Below is the Thank You Note they received from the Sleep in Heavenly Peace organization.

