

## **PRAYER REQUESTS**

Please fill out a Prayer Request card  
to hand to the Pastor during  
Joys and Concerns.

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|--------------------|-------------------|
| Pastor Bob & Deb   | New Pastor Search |
| Pastor David & Sue | Our Youth         |
| Ted & Jan Mick     | Kathy Spalding    |
| Jason Swain        | Doug Erdman       |
| Jacque Erdman      | Loy Putney        |
| Le'Baxter          | Judy Swisher      |
| Bob Bodell         | Mary Pulido       |
| Ron & Jan Heverly  | Terry Pendock     |
| Dennis Robinson    | Susan Benson      |
| Angie Russell      | Dave Fisher       |
| Keaton Brown       | Heidi Margetson   |
| Michael Brenner    | Mike Brief        |
| Kate Spalding      | Kathy Houston     |



**Fellowship & Ministry Opportunities  
This Week:**

### **Today, Sunday July 2**

8:30 a.m. Praise & Worship Service  
10:00 a.m. Traditional Service  
Fellowship to follow each service

### **Tuesday, July 4**

Independence Day, Happy Fourth!

### **Thursday, July 6**

12-1 p.m. Down stairs Youth Room occupied

## **Blaine Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)**

**July 2, 2023**



**Rev. Robert D. Larimer  
Pastor David Spalding**

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**Welcome to Blaine Christian Church  
where our purpose is to live and share the  
love of God as revealed in Jesus Christ  
through the guidance of the Holy Spirit.**

## Praise & Worship Service 8:30 a.m.

\*Indicates all who are able, please stand.

\*Passing the Peace

\*Songs of Praise

Children's Moment

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Readings

1st Reading: Deuteronomy 11:18-28 pg. 149

2nd Reading: Matthew 7, 1-28 pg. 788

Sermon- "Practice"

\*Song of Praise

\*Invitation

\*Song of Praise

Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

Communion

All who profess Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior are invited to partake.

\*Benediction

Elders are available on either side of the sanctuary to pray with and for you after the service.

### SERVING TODAY

Minister: Daniel Wallington

Worship Leader:

Praise Team: Mike Brief, Jenny Caylen,  
Jacque Erdman, Doug Erdman, Deb  
Larimer, Carolyn Waterson

Children's Moment: Jenny Caylen

Greeter: Robin Groesbeck

Usher: *Volunteers Needed*

Fellowship: Merrill Family

## Traditional Service 10:00 a.m.

\*Indicates all who are able, please stand.

Prelude

Time of Sharing

\*Passing the Peace

\*Introit Rain Down

\*Hymn of Praise

God of the Ages, Whose Almighty Hand #725

Invocation

Response "Let's Just Praise the Lord"

Children's Moment

Kids Kare following for 2nd Grade and below

Special Music- "Here my Cry, Oh God"  
Gloria & Mercy Sobkoviak

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\*Hymn of Invitation

I Am Thine, O Lord (v. 1-3)

#601

\*Invitation

I Am Thine, O Lord (v. 4)

# 601

Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

Lords Prayer

Call to Communion

Hymn of Preparation

Come, Share the Lord

#408

Sharing of the Bread & Cup

All who profess Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior are invited to partake.

\*Doxology

#46

\*Benediction

\*Closing Chorus

One in Love

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### SERVING TODAY

Minister: Daniel Wallington

Elders: Bob Bell & Carl Barnum

Worship Reader: Kate Jenkins

Prelude: Jim & Lynne Bekkering

Pianist: Mercy Sobkoviak

Choir Director: Carolyn Waterson

Children's Moment: Jenny Caylen

Kids Kare: Mary Pulido

Diaconate Servers: David & Sue Spalding,

Frank & Bonnie Putney

Greeter: Bob Bogard

Usher: Norma Bogard

Fellowship:

### The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven,  
hallowed be Thy name.  
Thy Kingdom come, Thy will be done  
on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day, our daily bread  
and forgive us our debts  
as we forgive our debtors.  
Lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom and  
the power and the glory forever.  
Amen.

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