



Worship Service Leadership 2026

March 1, 8, 22 – Rev. Ed Sackett

April 2 (Maundy Thursday)

April 5 (Easter Sunday)

Rev. Ed Sackett was born and raised in the Texas Panhandle. His hometown of Pampa is closer to seven other state capitals than it is to Austin. He had a 30-year career as a photojournalist working in Dallas, Tampa and Orlando. After leaving the newspaper industry he started his own video production business while at the same time teaching video production at Harmony High School in Osceola County Florida. Ed attended Austin Presbyterian Theological Seminary and graduated in 2018 with a master's in divinity. Upon graduation, he began his ministry as the Disaster Recovery Coordinator for Mission Presbytery, an area larger than 33 states. He was ordained into the Presbyterian Church (USA) during Covid in August 2020 and married his wife two months later. Ed's wife, Dr. Lynette Watkins is the Interim Association Dean at College of Medicine Texas A & M University Bryan, College Station, Texas. They have 3 daughters and two grandchildren. Their home is run by Elle Peaches, a golden doodle who is a diva.

March 15, 2026 – Carrie Bail (clergy)

I was ordained by the Oahu Association of Hawaii in 1987 and served a Hawaiian church until 1995. My family and I then moved back to the Northeastern mainland where I have served churches in Canaan, NY, Williamstown, MA, East Longmeadow, MA, and Burlington, VT. I have particular interests in intercultural exchange, refugees, disaster relief, and mental health along with singing and hiking. My husband is a retired professor and we have 3 grown children & 1 grandchild.