



HEALTHY PRACTICES FOR MINISTRY

FOR AUTHORIZED MINISTERS AND MIDS ONLY

Using Family Systems Theory in Times of Stress and Community Duress

Wednesday, September 23, 9am–2pm
Lakewood Congregational UCC
Online option available

Register at livingwaterone.org/events

\$50 for Active Authorized Ministers

\$25 for Retired Authorized Ministers

MIDS attend free

About the Facilitator

The Rev. Barry Chance has been the General Presbyter & Stated Clerk of Eastminster Presbytery since 2023. He came to that role after 18 years in congregational ministry and two years on judicatory staff in Louisiana. He is the author of several Bible studies for adults with intellectual disabilities published by Friendship Ministries and for Protestant Cub Scouts published by P.R.A.Y. Publications. He currently serves on the boards of the

Great Trail Council of Scouting America and P.R.A.Y. Publications. Barry is a graduate of Union Presbyterian Seminary (MDiv) and North Carolina State University (BS, Business Management & BA, Religious Studies). He is a trained Healthy Congregations and Friendly Style Profile facilitator, a Lead by Faith Fellow working on addressing toxic polarization in religious communities with the One America Movement, has a micro-certificate in Spiritual Entrepreneurship, and is working on his Executive Certificate in Religious Fundraising. He lives in Akron, OH with his wife who teaches English to gifted middle schoolers and their son who is in 11th grade.

