Fifth Sunday of Easter, May 10, 2020

Mothers Day

HYMN #HS 75 "The Family of God"

CALL TO WORSHIP (Responsive) from Psalm 140

LEADER: Protect me, God, from the unkind; from those of violence, keep vigilant watch, those who intend to make me stumble.

PEOPLE: I said to God: "You are the wellspring of my strength!" Open your ears, Holy One, to my cry. LEADER: God, my Upholder, you are the strength behind my salvation. You cover my head with comfort on the day when disaster strikes.

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PEOPLE: A person with hateful tongue will never be at peace in the land.

LEADER: Those of violence-their own evil will hunt them down thrust upon thrust.

PEOPLE: I know what God will do-

LEADER: You stand up for the afflicted, bringing down judgment on behalf of the poor.

ALL: Only the righteous are grateful for your name; only the honest can dwell in your presence. Pamela Greenberg, *"The Complete Psalms"*

HYMN #CH 552 "Standing on the Promises"

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RECEIVING OF OUR OFFERINGS

Hymn: Praise God from whom all blessings flow, Whose constant love and grace we know.
Bless now, O God, these gifts we give That others may in your peace live. Amen.

Prayer of Thanksgiving

HYMN	"God of the Women"	
SCRIPTURES	Acts 16:11-40	
MESSAGE	"Two Uppity Women"	
HYMN #CH 663	"Go Down, Moses"	

SHALOM CIRCLE

Shalom, my friend; Shalom, my friend; Shalom, Shalom. We'll see you again; We'll see you again; Shalom, Shalom.