**Commemorating World Mental Health Month: October 2012**

Topic: *A Healing Presence in the Right Place*

Text: 1 Samuel 16: 14-23

* Depression in the palace (Depression can be found in every place / explore the range of depressive experiences)
* Depression to impacts our capacity function (it cripples the strongest of men)
* God heals in many ways (music therapy, light therapy, play therapy etc.)
* God always has a man in the right place (We are placed where we are by God for his purpose, where in King’s palaces or in the cane fields. We can impact the lives of countless others)

On line resources for sermons on Mental Health:

http://www.sermoncentral.com/sermons/sermons-about-mental-health.asp?Keyword=mental%20health

http://www.mpuuc.org/services/mhsermons.html

http://www.crcna.org/pages/disability\_sersinclair.cfm