

# Marcham Baptist Church

(Packhorse Lane)

## November 2009

### Sunday Morning Worship at 10.30 am

(Communion every first Sunday)

#### Our speakers this month are

1st November	Mr. Paul Wilson of Abingdon
8th November	Rev. Brian John of Wantage
15th November	Mr. Nigel Chown of Abingdon Baptist Church
22nd November	Mr. Paul Revell of Cholsey Baptist Church
29th November	Mrs. Pat Band of Witney



Everyone welcome

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### Dark winter nights again, HUMBUG!

During Antarctica's 9 months of winter each year, the continent is engulfed in darkness and the temperature sinks to -82 °C, THAT'S COLD! And the continent is cut off from the world.

There are times when we all feel helpless and cut off. It may seem that not even God can hear or answer our cries for help. The psalmist David said in a time of trouble, "*I am cut off from before Your eyes*". But David discovered that the Lord had not forgotten him, and he rejoiced, "*You heard the voice of my supplications when I cried out to You*" (Psalm 31.22).

What circumstances make you feel helpless or hopeless today? Poor health, broken relationships, a family member in great need? In Jesus Christ, God has pierced the dark winter of our world in a daring rescue through His redeeming love. He is therefore able to reach us and calm our fears in the most desperate circumstances.

We are never cut off from the mighty power and sustaining peace of God.

***B. Pilgrim***

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