**.About us:** We are an Independent Congregational church. This means we are run by our members, not a denomination or bishop. We try and be faithful to God's word, the Bible, in all belief and conduct.

**Christians:** We don't believe people are born Christians; we become one by admitting our sinfulness to God and understanding that Christ's death on the cross was on our behalf. We believe He rose again from the dead as we shall one day.

**Recordings:** Most sermons are recorded and placed on our website: www.MartinTop.org.uk

**Refreshments:** These are available in the upper room at the close of every service.

**Toilets:** We have a toilet inside downstairs (suitable for disabled people) and two outside.

**Babies & Children:** Facilities are available downstairs for changing nappies. Young children are welcome to remain in the meeting or to be taken to the upper room into which the service is relayed via speakers.

**Fire or Evacuation:** Please make your way out through the nearest exit and assemble on the grassed area to the chapel's eastern side.

**Tithes & Offerings**: We take up no offering during morning worship. Those who wish to give financial support may use the offering boxes at the front and rear.

Magazine: We produce a quarterly magazine- please ask for a copy.

**Loop:** People with hearing aids may tune into the service via our Loop System

Questions? Ask one of our members about their faith or this church



## Welcome

We give you an especially warm welcome if you are visiting us today.

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# Week Beginning Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> December 2020

## This week at Martin Top:

Sunday Sermons	10.45am Richard Johnson (Longridge)
	6.30pm Alan Marsden by Zoom
Monday	11.30am Word and Prayer by Zoom
Wednesday	7.30pm Prayer Meeting
Thursday	7.45pm Bible Study by Zoom: <i>Mark's Gospel</i>
Friday	8pm <i>Pilgrim's Progress</i> reading group (Zoom)

Next Lord's Day: 10.45am Alan Marsden

7.00pm Alan Marsden (live)

#### CHRISTIAN RESOURCES EXHIBITION NEW DATES FOR 2021

CRE South West, Exeter 23-24 June 2021 CRE National, Sandown Park 12-14 October 2021

### **Dates for Diaries & Other News**

Please wear a mask, sanitise on arrival and departure,

Please sit 2m apart as individuals on back row and Upper Room or as couples or families, or "bubbles" in "open pews". Please do not socialise in or out of the Chapel curtilage. The outside toilets will be available.

Trustees' Meeting: Monday, 14th December, 7.30pm.

Please email agenda items for the next 2021 Church Meeting to Alan.

The role of secretary will fall vacant in 2021- please ask for details if you are interested.

Alan is at Parbold Evangelical Church this morning.

But Jesus said, "Let her alone. Why do you trouble her? She has done a good work for Me.

Mark 14:6

To go back is nothing but death; to go forward is fear of death, and life everlasting beyond it. I will yet go forward.

Christian, in *Pilgrim's Progress*