.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.

www.martintop.org.uk

Week Beginning Sunday 20th December 2020

This week at Martin Top:

Sunday Carol	10.45am Alan Marsden
Services	7pm Alan Marsden (Chapel)
Monday	11.30am Word and Prayer by Zoom
Wednesday	7.30pm Prayer Meeting (Chapel)
Thursday	7.30pm Simple Bible study with Vinny Commons (Zoom)
Friday	9.30am Simple Christmas Service (Chapel)

Next Lord's Day: 10.45am Alan Marsden

6.30pm Stephen Jackson by Zoom

Thursday, 31st December 2020 11pm WATCHNIGHT SERVICE

Dates for Diaries & Other News

Please note that this evening's Carol Service will also be held in the Chapel with the lights on this year.

- 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.

The AGM and Winter Meeting will be held 7.30pm, Monday, 4th January 2021. Please email agenda items for the Church Meeting to Alan asap.

Dark clouds bring waters, when the bright bring none.

John Bunyan, *Pilgrim's Progress*

So all the generations from Abraham to David are fourteen generations, from David until the captivity in Babylon are fourteen generations, and from the captivity in Babylon until the Christ are fourteen generations.

Matthew 1:17