

**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](http://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



SALEM CONGREGATIONAL CHAPEL  
MARTIN TOP

# Welcome

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

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# Week Beginning

## Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> March 2019

### This week at Martin Top:

Sunday	10.45am Alan Marsden + Lord's Supper 6pm Alan Marsden
Monday	6.30 - 8pm Craft Group
Tuesday	7pm Deacons' Meeting
Wednesday	7.30pm Prayer Meeting
Thursday	7.30pm Bible Study: Joseph
Friday	7.30pm Friday Light: Bible Quiz & Supper

Next Lord's Day: 10.45am A. Marsden  
6pm A. Marsden

#### Happening Elsewhere:

Monday, 11<sup>th</sup> March 2019: 7.30pm, Joyful Noise, Christ Church, Chatburn

Tuesday, 19<sup>th</sup> March 2019: 7.30pm, Holden Fellowship: Ben Fawcett

#### Dates for Diaries & Other News

Please join us for lunch after this morning's service.

The kitchen upgrade is almost completed.

Tony Brown from Bradford, will be sharing about the cults on Thursday, 14<sup>th</sup> March, 7.30pm. Please invite friends from other churches.

Next Trustees' Meeting: 7.30pm, Tuesday, possibly, 28<sup>th</sup> May.

The Opening Service at Spring Effort on 3pm, Saturday, 27<sup>th</sup> April will be led by The Kays.

The Northern Men's Convention, Manchester, Saturday, 18<sup>th</sup> May: please see Alan or Stephen if you would like to attend.

**'Now you are the  
body of Christ'**

**1 Cor 12:27**

"Alas! Much has been done of late to promote the production of dwarfish Christians. Poor, sickly believers turn the church into a hospital, rather than an army. Oh, to have a church built up with the deep godliness of people who know the Lord in their very hearts, and will seek to follow the Lamb wherever he goes!"

- Charles Spurgeon