

**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 do not 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: <https://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 downstairs room.

**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.

[www.martintop.org.uk](http://www.martintop.org.uk)

# Week Beginning Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> May 2024

## This week at Salem Chapel:

Sunday Services	10.45am Alan Marsden 6.00pm Stephen Jackson
Monday	<b>BIBLE WEEK</b> 6.30pm Alan Marsden <i>'Angels'</i> 8.00pm David Earnshaw <i>'The Cross'</i>
Tuesday	6.30pm Alan Marsden <i>'Demons'</i> 8.00pm David Earnshaw <i>'The Cross'</i>
Wednesday	6.30pm Alan Marsden <i>'Satan'</i> 8.00pm David Earnshaw <i>'The Cross'</i>
Thursday	11.00am Bible Study led by Alan Marsden 12.00pm Afternoon Open Church 6.30pm Michael Harrison <i>Armenian Ministries</i> 8.00pm David Earnshaw <i>'The Cross'</i>
Friday	6.30pm Roger Carswell <i>'Why the Lord Tarries'</i> 8.00pm David Earnshaw <i>'The Cross'</i>
Saturday	9.00am Men's Breakfast 2.00pm Saturday Fellowship

Next Sunday: 10.45am: Alan Marsden  
6.00pm: Matthew Fawcett (Lambing Service)  
with music from the Ayrtons

Please sign up to help with stewarding at this week's Bible Week

Volunteers are sought to help erect the gazebo on this Sunday afternoon/Monday afternoon (weather depending). Please see Alan.

We need someone to assist with uploading sermons onto the website - training is available. Please speak to Alan or Stephen as soon as possible.

Tuesday May 28<sup>th</sup> 10.00am: Clitheroe Market Outreach.

Thursday May 30<sup>th</sup> Afternoon Open Church. Alan will be available. Drop in for a chat and warm drink.

Saturday June 1<sup>st</sup> 9.00am Men's Breakfast. Arrive between 8.30am and 9.00am. A great opportunity for men to meet new people, chat, relax, hear a short testimony and be encouraged.

Saturday June 1<sup>st</sup> 2.00pm – 4.00pm: Saturday Fellowship in the upper room. Join for a time of informal fellowship, singing, a quiz, a short talk and afternoon tea. All are welcome.

Next Sunday June 2<sup>nd</sup>. Fellowship Lunch after the morning service; special priority to be given to newcomers and visitors.

In the evening the Ayrton family will be with us for the Lambing Service. Do invite your family, friends and neighbours.

'All Scripture is breathed out by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness'

2 Timothy 3:16

"Look at Jesus Christ. Every time He was in trouble, He used the Word of God. When He was tempted, He used the Word. When He suffered on the cross, He used the Word."

Timothy Keller