

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

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Welcome

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

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Week Beginning Sunday September 8th 2024

This week at Salem Chapel:

Sunday Services	10.45am Alan Marsden 6.00pm Alan Marsden
Monday	1.00pm Craft Group
Tuesday	9.00am Word and Prayer by Zoom
Wednesday	7.00pm Westminster Catechism 7.30pm Midweek Service with Prayers for Hetton Chapel
Thursday	11.00am Bible Study led by Alan Marsden 12.00pm Afternoon Open Church 6.30pm Basic Bible Study 7.45pm Bible Study led by Alan Marsden
Saturday	1.00pm Salem Social at Pete & Heather's

Next Sunday 10.45am: Alan Marsden (Communion)
6.00pm: Alan Marsden

Monday September 9th 7.00pm: 'An evening with the Association of Evangelists' at Sunbridge Road Mission, Gaynor St., Bradford, BD1 2LF. If you need a lift, please speak to Stephen Jackson. He has some seats available.

This Sunday September 8th: Open Church. The chapel will remain open between the services. You are welcome to stay or pop in during the afternoon for a chat and fellowship.

Please note that the planned interview with Piyush Jani at the September 15th Sunday evening service cannot now take place due to unforeseen circumstances.

Clitheroe Market Outreach: Tuesday September 10th 10.00am – 12.00pm. Join Matthew near the big arch entry

Trustees' Meeting: Tuesday September 10th 7.30pm

Midweek Service with prayers: Wednesday September 11th 7.30pm: This week, the prayers will be mainly for Hetton Chapel. People from other churches are welcome to attend.

Afternoon Open Church: Thursday September 12th 12.00pm – 4.30pm: Alan will be available. Pop in for a chat and a cup of tea.

Salem Social: Saturday September 14th 1.00pm. Jacob's Join at Peter and Heather's home. Drinks provided. All are welcome.

Martin Top Lending Library will be available at the chapel during the last week of each month. Please see the notice board in the upper room for more details and how to access a catalogue

Please speak to Alan if you would like a home visit

'Now may the God of peace Himself sanctify you completely; and may your whole spirit, soul, and body be preserved blameless at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ. He who calls you is faithful, who also will do it.'
1 Thessalonians 5:23

'Sanctification is a progressive, lifelong work. It is an amazing work of God's grace and it is a work to be prayed for.'
John Owen