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 13th June 2021

This week at Salem Chapel:

Sunday Services	4.00pm	Alan Marsden (chapel) Afternoon Worship (online) Alan Marsden (chapel)
Monday	11.30am	Word and Prayer (online)
Wednesday	7.30pm	Midweek Service and Prayer
Thursday	7.45	Bible Study (online) Genesis

Next Sunday: 10.45am Alan Marsden

6.00pm Alan Marsden

Real Lives with Jason and Jenny Wright

8.00pm Saturday June 12th 2021

Jason and Jenny were committed JWs for many years and raised their children in the strict treadmill of Watchtower activity. They began to understand it was an 'efforts based religion' and started to realise what they were experiencing did not line up with the words of Jesus. Hear their story of how they eventually left the JWs and found true freedom in Jesus at:

Real Lives

May 4th – June 22nd Association of Evangelists – 'Learning from the Evangelists' Tuesdays at 8pm online interviews with different evangelists focussed on helping us all in our personal evangelism. Register <u>here</u>

June 15th Tuesday 7.30pm Trustees Meeting

June 19th July 17th and September 18th Saturday
10.00am – 2.30pm on Zoom. 'Likewise' – Getting the
most out of Biblical Narratives, led by Dr Walter Riggans,
Learning and Development Manager of the
Congregational Federation. For more information and to
book a place email here

June 21st Monday 1.30pm- 3.00pm – a six-week bible study on prayer led by Yvonne Campbell. An informal time to build fellowship and intensify our prayer for our churches. Attend one or all six. To take part email here

Book Club – the next book we will be reading is 'Holiness' (abridged) by J C Ryle. Books can be obtained from Alan for £1.00

'For the grace of God has appeared, bringing salvation for all people, training us to renounce ungodliness and worldly passions, and to live selfcontrolled, upright, and godly lives in the present age' Titus 2:11-12 'Be committed to being self-controlled, because it will help you to become like Jesus...Pray daily for self-control. Think about the grace of God to motivate you. Seek to live in the power of the Holy Spirit...While self-control seems so ordinary, the Holy Spirit uses it to create extraordinary people. P Williams 'Willing but Weak'