

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



Welcome

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

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Week Beginning Sunday June 15th 2025

This week at Salem Chapel:

Sunday Services	10.45am David Earnshaw (Communion) 3.00pm David Earnshaw (Hetton Chapel) 6.00pm David Earnshaw
Monday	1.00pm Craft Group in the Upper Room
Tuesday	9.00am Word and Prayer by Zoom
Wednesday	7.00pm Westminster Catechism 7.30pm Midweek Service led by Alan Marsden
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
Friday	7.00pm Prayer for Burnley at Allen and Joan's

Next Sunday: 10.45am: Alan Marsden
6.00pm: Alan Marsden

Coffee Morning at Hetton Chapel Wednesday June 18th
10.00am – 12.00 noon. Bring a friend for a trip out.

Keswick Convention 'Transformed'

Week 1: July 12th – 18th. Andy Gemmill

Week 2: July 19th – 25th Tim Chester

Week 3: July 26th – August 1st Dane Ortlund Find out more [here](#)

Clitheroe Market Outreach: Tuesday June 17th 10.00am - 12.00pm. Join Matthew at the big arch entry. Any help would be appreciated.

Afternoon Open Church: Thursday June 19th 12.00pm – 5.00pm. Alan will be available. Do pop in for a chat and a drink.

Friday 20 June 7.00pm: Prayer for Burnley at the home of Allen and Joan.

The next one will be on 25 July - venue to be confirmed

Danny, one of our regulars, is fundraising for Down's Syndrome International by running and walking as far as he can within 24 hours (!) on Saturday 28th June. You can read more and sponsor him by going to <https://www.justgiving.com/page/daniel-owens-4>

This coming week the locks to the chapel are going to be changed. The main key-holders have been contacted and should see Alan or Bill.

Any Christian wishing to be baptised during the summer months should speak to Alan.

Please speak to Alan if you would like a home visit.

'Those who wait on the LORD shall renew their strength;
they shall mount up with wings like eagles;
they shall run and not be weary;
they shall walk and not faint.'

Isaiah 40:31

'The strongest men may faint and fall, but the strength of God knows no exhaustion. When we are most conscious of our weakness, let us lean most fully on His everlasting arms.'

Charles Spurgeon