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 18th February 2024

This week at Salem Chapel:

Sunday	10.45am Alan Marsden (Communion)
Services	6.00pm Joe McNutt and the Yorkshire Camps Team
Monday	9.00am Word and Prayer by Zoom
Wednesday	7.00pm. Westminster Catechism
	7.30pm Midweek Service and Prayer
	led by Alan Marsden
Thursday	11.00am Bible Study – Colossians
	12.00pm Afternoon Open Church
	6.30 pm. Basic Bible Study
	7.45pm Bible Study – Matthew 27
	led by Alan Marsden
Friday	8.00pm Book Club (online)

Next Sunday: 10.45am: Alan Marsden

6.00pm: Stephen Jackson

This Sunday: Open Church. The chapel will remain open from 2.00pm onwards. Do drop in for a drink, a chat and fellowship.

Monday February 19th 7.30pm – 9.30pm: Joyful Noise at Chatburn Methodist Church. All are welcome.

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

Saturday February 17th 8.00pm Real Lives with Neel and Corina. Neel grew up believing all religion was archaic, intrusive, superstitious and of no relevance. Join Roger in conversation with Neel and Corina on YouTube

Tuesday February 21st 10.00am – 12.00pm: Clitheroe Market Outreach. Join Matthew near the big arch entry.

Thursday February 22nd 12.00pm – 4.30pm: Afternoon Open Church. The chapel will be open, Alan will be available.

Friday February 23rd 8.00pm: Book Club online. The book we have been reading is *Evidence Not Seen* by Darleen Deibler Rose. Zoom ID: 316 300 9000. Password: GoodNews. Speak to Dot Carswell if you wish to join next month.

Forum: Alan is looking for 3-4 people who are interested in giving a short talk (10-15 mins plus Q & A) on a Thursday evening, on some aspect of the faith. Please speak to Alan for further information and guidance. It is hoped that this might be a regular feature, a few times per year.

Dates For Your Diary:

April 12th at 7.00pm and 13th 10.30am – 1.30pm Keswick in East Lancashire Spring Convention

June 27th Creation Ministries International: Formidable Flood –

A Deluge of Evidence. Details will be given later.

Jesus said, "It is written, 'Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceeds from the mouth of God."

Matthew 4:4

"I began to read the Holy Scriptures upon my knees, laying aside all other books, and praying over, if possible, every line and word. This proved meat indeed and drink indeed to my soul. I daily received fresh life, light, and power from above."

George Whitefield