

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: <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 2nd April 2023

This week at Salem Chapel:

Sunday Services	10.45am Roger Carswell 6.00pm Matthew Fawcett (Communion)
Monday	9.00am Word and Prayer by Zoom
Wednesday	12.00pm Afternoon Open Church 7.30pm Midweek Service and Prayer led by Roger Carswell
Thursday	7.30pm Bible Study - with the Lord's Supper led by Alan Marsden
Good Friday	10.30am Good Friday Service with Communion led by Alan Marsden
Saturday	7.00pm Saturday Praise led by Alan Marsden

Next Sunday 10.45am Alan Marsden
6.00pm Alan Marsden

Sunday April 2nd Do join us for the Fellowship Lunch after the morning service. All are welcome.

Monday April 3rd 7.30pm – 9.30pm Joyful Noise at Chatburn Methodist Church. All are welcome

Saturday April 1st 8.00pm: Real Lives with Simon Guillebaud who worked in Burundi, setting up a mission, when it was regarded as the most dangerous country on earth. Join Roger Carswell in conversation with Simon as he shares his story. Watch on [YouTube](#) or catch up later.

Sunday April 2nd 8.15pm – 9.15pm: World Focus: Adam Miller who heads up *Songtime* will be sharing about his work. Join on Zoom ID: 316 300 9000 Passcode: GoodNews

Tuesday April 4th 10.00am – 12.00 Clitheroe Market Outreach. Join Matthew on Clitheroe Market near the big arch entry. Any help would be greatly appreciated.

Wednesday April 5th 12.00pm – 4.30pm. Afternoon Open Church. Alan will not be available but the chapel will be open. Do drop in for a chat

Saturday April 8th 7.00pm: Saturday Praise: Music will be provided by John Whittle, Matt Butler and Chris Broughton. Alan will speak on where Jesus went between his death on the cross and the resurrection.

Please speak to Alan if you would like him to visit you at your own home or to arrange a visit to his home.

Jesus said...
“Come to Me, all who are weary and burdened and I will give you rest. Take My yoke upon you and learn from Me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls.”
Matthew 11:28,29

‘A believer longs after God: to come into His presence, to feel His love, to feel near to Him in secret...
Ah! Dear brethren, have you ever tasted this blessedness? There is greater rest and solace to be found in the presence of God for one hour, than in an eternity of the presence of man.’
Robert Murray McCheyne