

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.

www.martintop.org.uk

Week Beginning Sunday 20th June 2021

This week at Salem Chapel:

Sunday Services	10.45am Alan Marsden 4.00pm Afternoon Worship (online) 6.00pm Alan Marsden (Communion)
Monday	9.00am Word and Prayer (online)
Wednesday	7.30pm Midweek Service and Prayer
Thursday	7.45pm Bible Study (online) Genesis
Friday	8.00pm Book Club (online)

Next Sunday: 10.45am Alan Marsden
6.00pm Stephen Jackson

Real Lives with Rose Illingsworth

8.00pm Saturday June 19th 2021

Rose loves to sing, especially jazz and classical numbers. She spent her early years living in Rwanda and other African countries and soon had to face up to reality that family members had been killed during the Rwanda Genocide in 1994. Hear her story and hear her sing 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 [here](#)

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

‘And the LORD God caused a deep sleep to fall on Adam, and he slept; and He took one of his ribs, and closed up the flesh in its place. Then the rib which the LORD God had taken from man He made into a woman’
Genesis 2:21-22

‘Eve was not taken out of Adam’s head to top him, neither out of his feet to be trampled on by him, but out of his side to be equal with him, under his arm to be protected by him, and near his heart to be loved by him.’

Matthew Henry (1662–1714)