

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



SALEM CONGREGATIONAL CHAPEL
MARTIN TOP

Welcome

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

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Week Beginning Sunday February 22nd 2026

This week at Salem Chapel:

Sunday Services	10.45am Alan Marsden 3.00pm Real Lives at Hetton with Jamie Jones-Buchanan 6.00pm Roger Carswell
Tuesday	9.00am Word and Prayer by Zoom 8.00pm Book Club (Online)
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 – Alan Marsden 7.45pm Bible Study led by Alan Marsden
Friday	10.00am Coffee Morning in Upper Room 6.00pm Prayer and Planning for Burnley at Alan's
Saturday	11.00am Youth Fellowship at Alan's

Next Sunday: 10.45am: Alan Marsden
6.00pm: Alan Marsden (Communion)

Next Sunday March 1st there will be a simple buffet lunch after the morning service. Do stay if you can – all are warmly welcome.

The Martin Top Lending Library will be available this Sunday. Do have a browse. There are a wide variety of books to enjoy.

Real Lives at Hetton Chapel this Sunday at 3.00pm. Jamie Jones-Buchanan, legend from the Leeds Rhinos Rugby League Club will be interviewed. Warm drinks served beforehand and refreshments afterwards. Everyone is very welcome.

Clitheroe Market Outreach Tuesday 24 February 10.00am – 12.00pm: Join Matthew at the big arch entry. Any help would be appreciated.

Book Club (Online): Tuesday 24 February 8.00pm: We will be discussing *John's Letter: Living in the Light of God's Love* by Peter Mead. Speak to Dot Carswell if you would like to join. Zoom ID: 316 300 9000 Password: GoodNews.

Afternoon Open Church: Thursday 26 February 12.00pm – 5.00pm: Alan will be available throughout the afternoon.

Coffee Morning Friday 27 February from 10.00am – 12.00 noon. Do join us for coffee and an opportunity to meet and talk.

Prayer and Planning for Burnley: Friday 27 February at Alan's. Food and refreshments from 6.00pm followed by discussion and prayer from 7.00pm – 8.00pm as we look ahead to the work in Burnley

Youth Fellowship: Saturday 28 February from 11.00am-4.00pm at Alan's (flexible arrival and departure) A fun time of games, film and food. We would love to see you there. Parental permission will be required.

'This is the one to whom I will look: he who is humble and contrite in spirit and trembles at my word.'

Isaiah 66:2