



SALEM CONGREGATIONAL CHAPEL
MARTIN TOP

Welcome

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

www.martintop.org.uk

About us: We are an Independent Congregational church. This means the church is governed by our members, rather than by a denomination or bishop. We seek to be faithful to God's Word, the Bible, in all that we believe and how we live

Christians: We do not believe people are born Christians. A person becomes a Christian by recognising their sin before God and understanding that Jesus Christ died in their place on the cross. We believe that He rose again from the dead and that all who belong to him will one day share in that resurrection.

Recordings: Most sermons are recorded and can be listened to 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 do not take up an 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

Week Beginning Sunday March 22nd 2026

This week at Salem Chapel:

Sunday Services	10.45am Alan Marsden 3.00pm Alan Marsden at Hetton Chapel 6.00pm Alan Marsden
Tuesday	9.00am Word and Prayer Online 8.00pm Book Club (online)
Wednesday	7.00pm Westminster Catechism 7.30pm Midweek Service with Prayer 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 - Alan Marsden
Friday	10.00am Coffee Morning – Upper Room 7.00pm Burnley Prayer meeting at Chris and Pauline Broughton's

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

Rimington Heritage Day: This Sunday 22 March 1.00pm – 4.00pm at the Rimington Memorial Institute. As well as information on the village's heritage, there will be more on the archaeological digs in the area.

The Martin Top Lending Library will be available next Sunday.

Clitheroe Market Outreach

Tuesday 24 March 10.00am – 12.00 noon:

Join Matthew at the big arch entrance as we seek to share the gospel. Any help would be greatly appreciated.

Book Club (online) Tuesday 24 March 8.00pm.

We will be discussing *An Open Door* by Maud Kells.
Zoom ID: 316 300 9000 Password: GoodNews

Afternoon Open Church

Thursday 26 March 12.00pm – 5.00pm. The chapel will be open. Do pop in for a chat and a warm drink. Alan will be available throughout the afternoon.

Coffee Morning in the Upper Room

Friday 27 March 10.00am – 12.00 noon. Join us for coffee, conversation, and a warm welcome

Prayer Meeting for Burnley Friday 27 March at 7.00pm

at the home of Chris and Pauline Broughton

Big Clean Saturday 11 April 10.00am-12.00noon. If you can help, please sign up on the sheet in the upper room

Chapel Magazine

The Spring edition (March-May) is now available. Please take a copy from the front pew.

Pastoral Support. If you would like to meet with Alan or receive a phone call, please do let him know.

'The soul's deepest thirst is for God himself, who has made us so we can never be satisfied without him.'

F F Bruce

'As the deer pants for streams of water, so my soul pants for you, my God. My soul thirsts for God, the living God.'

Psalms 42:1,2