

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.

www.martintop.org.uk

Week Beginning Sunday 28th May 2023

This week at Salem Chapel:

Pentecost Sunday	10.45am	Alan Marsden
	6.00pm	Stephen Jackson
Monday	9.00am	Word and Prayer by Zoom
Tuesday	7.30pm	A Passion for Life with Billie McCurrie
Wednesday	7.30pm	A Passion for Life with Timothy Cho
Thursday	12.00pm	Afternoon Open Church
	6.00pm	Basic Bible Study
	7.30pm	A Passion for Life with Yvonne Edwards
Friday	7.30pm	A Passion for Life with David Donegani
Saturday	9.00am	Men's Breakfast
	7.30pm	Music and Life Stories at Gisburn Auction Market

Next Sunday 10.45am: Roger Carswell (Guest Service)
 6.00pm: Ayrton Family Singers

Next Sunday June 4th Do join us for the Fellowship Lunch after the morning service.

Monday May 29th 7.30pm – 9.30pm Joyful Noise at Chatburn Methodist Church. All are welcome

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

Tuesday May 30th – Friday June 2nd 2.00pm – 4.00pm Secret Agent's Academy Holiday Club for children aged 5-11 at Gisburn Festival Hall. Free of charge.

Tuesday May 30th 10.00am – 12.00pm Clitheroe Market Outreach. Join Matthew near the big arch entry.

Thursday June 1st 12.00pm – 4.30pm. NB Afternoon Open Church will now be on a Thursday. The chapel will be open. Alan will be available. Do drop in for a drink, chat, or prayer

Thursday June 1st 6.00pm: Basic Bible Study. Bring your tea at 6.00pm if you wish to eat. The study will begin at 6.30pm.

Church Tithe: Suggestions of charities for the 2022-23 tithe should be sent to Alan by 18th June. It would be helpful to have just one or two suggestions per member.

Saturday June 3rd 9.00am Men's Breakfast. A cooked English breakfast will be served with tea, coffee, juice and pastries. Josh Williams will be speaking. Feel free to bring a friend. There is no charge.

Chapel Magazine June – August 2023. Please take your copy from the front pew of the chapel

"The work of the Spirit is to impart life, to implant hope, to give liberty, to testify of Christ, to guide us into all truth, to teach us all things, to comfort the believer, and to convict the world of sin."

Dwight L Moody

'Peter said to them, "Repent, and let every one of you be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins; and you shall receive the gift of the Holy Spirit... and that day (*the day of Pentecost*) about three thousand souls were added to them.'

Acts 2^{38,41}