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.

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Week Beginning Sunday 31st October 2021

This week at Salem Chapel:

Sunday	10.45am	Richard Johnson
Services	6.00pm	Stephen Jackson
Monday	9.00am	Word and Prayer by Zoom
Wednesday	7.30pm	Midweek Service and prayer
		Preacher: Alan Marsden
Thursday	7.30pm	Bible Study: Genesis 12
		Led by Alan Marsden

Next Sunday: 10.45am Stuart Lythgoe

6.00pm Dan Hill

Monday November 1st 7.30: Joyful Noise at Christ Church Chatburn

Sunday November 7th Join us next Sunday for the Fellowship Lunch after the morning service.

Audio recording of sermons and of the services will be made available via the website.

Notices:

Saturday October 30th 8.00pm: Real Lives:

John McCarthy grew up by the sea in Ireland. For nearly 20 years, he styled himself as a classic surfer dude. Handsome, athletic, and outwardly confident, surfing was essential to his identity and his ego, but he was drinking heavily and struggling with loneliness. He started to look for answers. He bought a book on world religion and then soon after that a Bible – and that's where he discovered the answer and everything changed Join us live Saturday 8pm Saturday 30 October reallives.net and hear him share his story in conversation with Roger Carswell. With a short Christian message afterwards and the opportunity to put your questions to John

Monday November 8th 1.00pm – 5.00pm: Craft Group

Saturday November 20th 10.00am-3.00pm: Yorkshire Camps Open Day

"The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy; I have come that they may have life - life in all its fullness"

John 10:10

(Jesus) said that he had come that we might have life in all its fullness – not a self-centred life for ever taking, but an other-person life, concerned with giving, a life following him...and he is the one who is going to judge each one of us personally on what we have done with God's gift of life

Melvin Tinker What do you Expect