

**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](http://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



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 6<sup>th</sup> March

2022

## This week at Salem Chapel:

Sunday Services	10.45am Alan Marsden (Communion) 6.00pm Alan Marsden
Monday	9.00am Word and Prayer by Zoom
Wednesday	7.30pm Midweek Service and prayer Led by Alan Marsden
Thursday	7.30pm Bible Study led by Alan Marsden
Friday	7.30pm Friday Light in the Upper Room

Next Sunday: 10.45am Alan Marsden  
6.00pm Alan Marsden

Please join us for the Fellowship Lunch after the service this morning. All are welcome

Monday March 7<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm: Joyful Noise at Christ Church Chatburn. All are welcome.

Audio recording of Salem Chapel services and sermons will be made available on the website: <http://www.martintop.org>

### Notices:

Saturday February 26<sup>th</sup> 8.00pm - 9.15pm: Real Lives Rachel Waddilove, author and child care expert speaks about her life, faith and work. With a short Christian message from Craig Dyer afterwards. Join live on: [Zoom](#) or watch later on [YouTube](#). Also there is an interview with Major General Tim Cross about the war in Ukraine and on his faith on [YouTube](#)

Tuesday March 8<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm: Trustees' Meeting

Friday March 11<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm Friday Light in the Upper Room will be a musical evening with John, Andy and Janet. Light refreshments will be available. All are welcome

Monday March 14<sup>th</sup> 1.00 – 5.00pm: Craft Group. Vincent Commons will be coming with his potter's wheel to demonstrate and talk about the art of pottery. All are welcome

Thursday March 17<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm Tony Brown will be with us speaking on Freemasonry

Book Club – the next book we will be reading is *Have No Fear* by John Lennox. Copies in the vestry cost £2.00

'Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.'

1Thessalonians 5:16-18

'Our whole life should be a life of prayer. We should walk in constant communion with God. Our souls should be constantly looking up to God. We should walk so habitually in His presence that even when we wake up in the night, it would be the most natural thing in the world for us to speak to God in thanksgiving or in petition' RA Torrey