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: <u>https://martintop.org.uk</u>

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

Welcome

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

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Week Beginning Sunday 6th November

2022

This week at Salem Chapel:

Sunday	10.45am Alan Marsden
Services	6.00pm Alan Marsden (Communion)
Monday	9.00am Word and Prayer by Zoom
	1.00pm Christianity Explored Course
	1.00pm Craft Group in the Upper Room
Wednesday	12.00pm Afternoon Open Church
	7.30pm Midweek Service and Prayer
	led by Alan Marsden
Thursday	7.30pm Bible Study: Does God reward
	Believers? led by Alan Marsden
Friday	8.00pm Book Club (online)

Next Sunday: 10.45am Vinny Commons 6.00pm Alan Marsden

Join us for the fellowship lunch following the morning service. All are welcome

Please speak to Alan if you would like him to visit you at your own home. Arrangements can also be made to see him at his home.

Saturday November 5th Real Lives at 8.00pm: 'From a prison to a pulpit' Ashley Nixon will be in conversation with Roger Carswell. Join the <u>Zoom Room</u> (from 7.50pm) or catch up on <u>YouTube</u> afterwards.

Sunday November 6th 8.15pm – 9.15pm: World Focus. The Association of Evangelists would love you to join them as John Newton-Webb shares about his work in Japan. Zoom ID 316 300 9000 Password: GoodNews

Tuesday November 8th 10.00am– 12.00pm Clitheroe Market Outreach: Join Matthew at Clitheroe Market near the big arch entry. Any help and support would be greatly appreciated.

Wednesday November 9^{th} 12.00pm – 4.30pm. The chapel will be open. Alan will be available – do drop in for a chat or prayer

Thursday November 10th 7.30pm We will be looking at a special topic this week: Does God reward believers?

Friday November 11th 8.00pm – 8.40pm (online) Book Club. The next book we are reading is 'Fearing God' by David Mears. If you wish to join please speak to Alan

Saturday November 19th Martin Top Stall at Barnoldswick Market. Matthew will be there all day from 9.00am. If you can help please sign up on the sheet in the Upper Room

'Seek the LORD and His strength; Seek His face always.' 1 Chronicles 16:11 'Do not strive in your own strength; cast yourself at the feet of the Lord Jesus, and wait upon Him in the sure confidence that He is with you, and works in you. Strive in prayer; let faith fill your heart – so will you be strong in the Lord, and in the power of His might.'

Andrew Murray