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 do not 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.

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Week Beginning Sunday 9th June 2024 This week at Salem Chapel:

Sunday	10.45am Alan Marsden
Services	6.00pm Thomas McIlmoyle (Communion)
Monday	9.00am Word and Prayer by Zoom
Wednesday	7.00pm Westminster Catechism
	7.30pm Midweek Service and Prayer
Thursday	11.00am Bible Study led by Alan Marsden
	12.00pm Afternoon Open Church
	6.30pm Basic Bible Study
	7.45pm Bible Study led by Alan Marsden

Next Sunday: 10.45am: Alan Marsden (Communion)

6.00pm: Alan Marsden

Monday June 10th 7.30pm – 9.30pm: Joyful Noise at Chatburn Methodist Church. All are welcome.

The June – September chapel magazine is now available. Please take a copy from the front pew.

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

Tuesday June 11th 10.00am – 12.00pm: Clitheroe Market Outreach. Join Matthew near the big arch entry. Any help would be appreciated.

Tuesday June 11th 7.30pm. Trustees' Meeting

Thursday June 13th 12.00pm – 4.30pm: Afternoon Open Church. Alan will be available. Do drop in for a chat.

We need someone to assist with uploading sermons onto the website- training is available. Please speak to Alan or Stephen as soon as possible.

We hope to hold a prayer meeting at Hetton Chapel on Monday June 17th in the evening. All Martin Top people are invited. The chapel will be available to look round that afternoon, assuming the sale proceeds as planned.

Thursday June 27th 7.30pm: Lucien Tuinstra from Creation Ministries will be speaking on 'Formidable Flood: A Deluge of Evidence'. Everyone is welcome. Pray about who you could invite.

Any Christian desiring to be baptised this summer at Salem Chapel should give their name to Alan for consideration by the elders.

'The steadfast love of the LORD never ceases; His mercies never come to an end; they are new every morning; great is Your faithfulness.

Lamentations 3:22-23

'God's unfailing love for us is an objective fact, affirmed over and over in the scriptures. It is true whether we believe it or not. Our doubts do not destroy God's love nor does our faith create it. It originates in the very nature of God, who is love, and it flows to us through our union with His beloved Son.' Jerry Bridges