

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



SALEM CONGREGATIONAL CHAPEL
MARTIN TOP

Welcome

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

www.martintop.org.uk

Week Beginning Sunday March 9th 2025

This week at Salem Chapel:

Sunday Services	10.45am Alan Marsden 3.00pm Alan Marsden (Hetton Chapel) 6.00pm Alan Marsden
Monday	1.00pm Craft Group with Rachel Horton
Tuesday	9.00am Word and Prayer by Zoom
Wednesday	7.00pm Westminster Catechism 7.30pm Midweek Service led by Alan Marsden
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: David Earnshaw (Communion)
6.00pm: David Earnshaw

Saturday March 8th Real Lives at 8.00pm with Bill X: *The Paramilitary Man*. Bill grew up in 'the troubles' in Northern Ireland and by the age of 19 he was sentenced to 25 years in prison. For security reasons his full identity will not be given. Join Roger Carswell in conversation with Bill as he shares his story. Watch on [YouTube](#)

Craft Group Monday March 10th 1.00pm – 5.00pm: Rachel Horton will be demonstrating how to make a spring wreath and pine cone flower arrangement. All are welcome

Clitheroe Market Outreach Tuesday March 11th 10.00am - 12.00pm. Join Matthew at the big arch entry. Any help would be appreciated.

Afternoon Open Church Thursday March 13th 12.00pm – 4.30pm. Alan will be available. Do pop in for a chat and a warm drink.

Next Saturday March 15th 10.00am – 12.00 noon: The Big Clean at chapel.

If anyone would like to provide a meal for Joe and Abbie after their baby arrives and when Joe's paternity leave ends, please email: Hannah@yorkshirecamps.org.uk

Chapel Magazine: The March – May edition is now available. Please take a copy from the front pew.

Please speak to Alan if you would like a home visit or if you would like to visit him in his own home.

'For since death came through a man, the resurrection of the dead comes also through a man. For as in Adam all die, so in Christ will all be made alive.

I Corinthians 15:21,22

'But Christ the second Adam came to bear our sin and woe and shame, to be our life, our light, our way, our only hope, our only stay.'

Lazarus Spengler 'All mankind fell in Adam's fall'