



SALEM CONGREGATIONAL CHAPEL

MARTIN TOP

Welcome

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

www.martintop.org.uk

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: <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 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

Week Beginning Sunday 18th September

2022

This week at Salem Chapel:

Sunday Services	10.45am Phil Arthur (Communion) 6.00pm Stephen Jackson
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	8.00pm Book Club (online) 'Ultimate Grace' by Levi Booth
Saturday	1.30pm Preparation for Harvest

Next Sunday: 10.45am Alan Marsden
6.00pm Matthew Fawcett

This Sunday September 18th The chapel will remain open between the morning and evening services. A book of condolence for the royal family has been placed at the front of the chapel for people to sign.

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.

Harvest Thanksgiving Service Next Sunday. Please bring gifts for the display that are suitable for the food bank or flowers for the arrangement. Meet Saturday 24th to set up the display at 1.30pm. As all the food will go to the foodbank there will be no Monday evening meeting for sale of produce.

Real Lives 'The Word One to One'. Join Richard Borogon and Roger Carswell as they read and discuss the Gospel of John. Episodes 'From Terror to Peace, From Fear to Faith' and 'Feed the World' are now available. Watch episodes of Real Lives events [here](#)

Monday September 19th 7.30pm: Members' Meeting.

Tuesday September 20th 10.00am– 12.00pm

Clitheroe Market Outreach: Matthew will be on Clitheroe Market near the big arch entry, handing out Christian leaflets and engaging in gospel conversations. Any help and support would be greatly appreciated.

Keswick in East Lancashire Autumn Convention October 7th and 8th 'Becoming Like God's Son. Speaker Tim Chester. Friday October 7th 7.00pm at Great Harwood Christian Fellowship BB6 7HX and Saturday October 8th 10.30am – 1.30pm at St Leonard's Church Padiham BB12 8HG

'If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.'

1 John 1:8-9

"Although we are capable of great acts of kindness, history teaches us that we sometimes need saving from ourselves — from our recklessness or our greed. God sent into the world a unique person — neither a philosopher nor a general, important though they are, but a Saviour, with the power to forgive"

Queen Elisabeth II