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 May 11th 2025 This week at Salem Chapel:

Sunday	10.45am	Alan Marsden
Services	3.00pm	Alan Marsden (Hetton Chapel)
	6.00pm	Joe McNutt
Tuesday	9.00am	Word and Prayer by Zoom
Wednesday	7.30pm	Midweek Service led by
		Stephen Jackson
Thursday	11.00am	Bible Study led by John Mollitt
	6.30pm	Basic Bible Study led by
		Barry Davis
	7.45pm	Bible Study led by
		David Earnshaw

Next Sunday: 10.45am: Alan Marsden (Communion)

6.00pm: Alan Marsden

Sunday May 11th Holden Chapel Sunday School Anniversary. Services at 1.30pm and 6.00pm led by Sunday School members.

Monday May 12th 7.30pm – 9.30pm: Joyful Noise at Chatburn Methodist Church. All are welcome.

Tuesday May 13th 2.00pm – 3.30pm: Teaching session on The Tabernacle by Dr Alec Passmore at Knowle Green Church

Clitheroe Market Outreach Tuesday May 13th 10.00am - 12.00pm. Join Matthew at the big arch entry

There will be no Thursday Afternoon Open Church this week.

Big Clean on Saturday May 17th 10.00am – 12.00pm: In preparation for the Martin Top Bible Week we will give the chapel a more thorough clean. If you can help please sign the sheet in the upper room.

Prayer for Burnley: Friday May 23rd 6.30pm at Alan's home.

Salem Social: Friday May 23rd from 7.15pm at Alan's home. Food and drinks will be provided. There will also be an opportunity to say goodbye to Gemma.

Martin Top Bible Week Monday May 26th – Friday May 30th 6.30pm and 8.00pm: Details can be found on the website here (www.martintop.org/Bible-Week)

Volunteers are needed for the Bible Week - Two people are needed each evening at 6.00pm to welcome at the door and help manage the parking. Please sign up on the sheet on the noticeboard. Any help would be greatly appreciated.

Please speak to Alan if you would like a home visit.

'Whom He foreknew, He also predestined to be conformed to the image of His Son, that He might be the firstborn among many brethren.'

Romans 8:29

'Let us cleave to Christ more closely, love Him more heartily, live to Him more thoroughly, copy Him more exactly, confess Him more boldly, and follow Him more fully' J.C. Ryle