## Jon and Heather's story

We grew up in very different communities, Heather here in Stockport, and Jon in Cornwall. We actually met through church when Jon came to Stockport for a job.

We both grew up in Christian families and faith goes back almost as far as we can remember. We each made a Christian commitment in childhood.



In college years, Jon spent some time away from church, but always regarded himself as a Christian, while Heather stayed with church but struggled with doubt and a sense of failure. Because of these experiences it is important to us to be part of a church which is flexible and open, where it's OK to have questions or doubts.

Heather has found her faith has developed particularly through being a parent enabling her to see how God loves us as his children.

Jon says faith is a long plod not a race!