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## **Totnes Street Pastors Spring Newsletter Our 10th Anniversary Year!**



**Totnes! It's the place to be!**

Ruth Booth, Edith Rockett and John Hawkins (St Mary's and St John's Totnes) became Street Pastors and John a Prayer Pastor in Torquay and brought back the idea to Totnes encouraging us to get Ros Ede, the Coordinator of Torbay Street Pastors to come along to our church House Group and talk to us all about the scheme. The Christian Police Association at Middelmore invited 2 people from each town in Devon to go and hear a presentation at Police HQ about setting up a SP scheme. Peter Dunn (TUFC and also a Torbay SP) and Liz Waterson (Totnes Team Ministry) went along and the rest, as they say, is history! The Totnes Street Pastor Scheme was launched at St Mary's Totnes, the Civic Church on May 9th 2009. Prior to the official launch, Liz completed formal agreement, licence and insurance with [Ascension Trust](#) (*the body which oversees the Street Pastor Scheme*) and held meetings with all the church leaders, Totnes Town Council and the Police. They approved the idea and so we appointed [Peter and Anne Dunn](#) to be the Coordinators of Totnes Street Pastors

[Peter and Anne](#) were then free to recruit from the local churches and begin training. This lasted until October when they were ready to put out the first teams on to the streets. Anne oversaw the training of Base Prayer Pastors and arranged for them to go to a training day at Brunel Manor. Training always involved wonderful food prepared by Anne!

*On May 9th Liz set up the fundraiser::*

*[Friends of Totnes Street Pastors](#) and this is the reason why renewal of membership is always in May.*

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**Peter and Anne cutting the Launch Cake. They also signed a formal Licence Agreement with the Police. We had a great deal of help from Ros and Roger Ede of Torbay Street Pastors in setting up our scheme. Anne Dunn died tragically last year and she is very greatly missed.**

*Christ has no body now but yours....Street Pastors bringing the love of God out of the churches and back onto the streets.....*