

The Church's one foundation

Verse

The Church's one foun - da - - tion
 E - lect from ev - 'ry na - - tion,
 Though with a scorn - ful won - - der,
 The church shall nev - er per - - ish!
 'Mid toil and trib - u - la - - tion,
 Yet she on earth has u - - nion

4

is yet Je - sus Christ her Lord;
 men one o'er all the earth,
 Her see her the op - pressed,
 and dear Lord to de - fend,
 with tu - mult of her war,
 God the Three in One,

7

she is his new cre - a - - tion,
 her char - ter of sal - va - - tion,
 by schis - ms rent a - sun - der,
 to guide, sus - tain, and cher - ish,
 she waits the con - sum - ma - - tion
 and mys - tic sweet com - mu - - nion

10

by one wa - ter and the word:
 by Lord, one e - and faith, the one birth;
 is her e - sies the dis - tressed,
 of with peace her to the end;
 with those for ev - er is - more;
 won:

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from heaven he came and sought her
 one ho - ly name she bless - es,
 yet saints their watch are keep - ing,
 though there be those that hate her,
 till with the vi - sion and glo - rious
 O hap - py ones and ho - ly!

16

to be his ho - ly bride;
 par - takes one ho - ly food;
 their cry goes up, ly "How long?"
 and false sons in her pale,
 her long give - ing eyes are blest,
 Lord, us grace that we,

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Musical score for measures 19-21. The key signature has two flats (B-flat and E-flat). The melody is in the treble clef, and the bass line is in the bass clef. The lyrics are: with his own blood he bought her, and to soon one hope she press es, And soon the night of weep ing a - gainst the or great foe church vic - tor and the meek and low - rious ly,

22

Musical score for measures 22-23. The key signature has two flats (B-flat and E-flat). The melody is in the treble clef, and the bass line is in the bass clef. The lyrics are: and with shall she shall may for ev be ev be live her 'ry the er the e - life grace morn shall church ter - he en of pre at nal - died. dued. song. vail. rest. ly.