

HYMN

Christ is made the sure foundation

5 Praise and hon - our to the Fa - ther, praise and hon - our

1 Christ is made the sure foun - da - tion, Christ the head and
 2 All with - in that ho - ly cit - y, dear - ly loved of
 3 We as liv - ing stones im - plore you, come a - mong us,

to the Son, praise and hon - our to the Spir - it,

cor - ner - stone, cho - sen of the Lord and pre - cious,
 God on high, in ex - ult - ant ju - bi - la - tion
 Lord, to - day! With your gra - cious lov - ing - kind - ness

ev - er three and ev - er one; one in power and

bind - ing all the church in one, ho - ly Zi - on's
 sing in per - fect har - mo - ny, God the One in
 hear your chil - dren as we pray, and the full - ness

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one in glo - ry while e - ter - nal a - ges run.

D D⁷ G C Am D⁷ G Am⁷ D⁷ G

help for - ev - er, and her con - fi - dence a - lone.
Three a - dor - ing in glad hymns e - ter - nal - ly.
of your bless - ing in our fel - low - ship dis - play.

The musical score is written for three parts: Soprano, Alto, and Bass. The key signature is one sharp (F#), and the time signature is common time (C). The Soprano part has lyrics: 'one in glo - ry while e - ter - nal a - ges run.' The Alto part has lyrics: 'help for - ev - er, and her con - fi - dence a - lone. Three a - dor - ing in glad hymns e - ter - nal - ly. of your bless - ing in our fel - low - ship dis - play.' The Bass part has lyrics: 'Three a - dor - ing in our fel - low - ship dis - play.' The score includes a variety of chords: D, D⁷, G, C, Am, D⁷, G, Am⁷, D⁷, and G. The music is written on three staves, with the Soprano staff at the top, the Alto staff in the middle, and the Bass staff at the bottom. The lyrics are written below the corresponding staves.

- 4 Here entrust to all your servants
what we long from you to gain –
that on earth and in the heavens
we one people shall remain
till, united in your glory,
evermore with you we reign.
- 5 Praise and honour to the Father,
praise and honour to the Son,
praise and honour to the Spirit,
ever three and ever one:
one in power and one in glory
while eternal ages run.