

The Church's One Foundation (Blue Hymnal #346)

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[CHORDS]

[NO CAPO]

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[INTRO]

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[VERSE 1]

D	D9	D	D6	D	G	D
The	Church's	one	foun-da-tion	Is	Je-sus	Christ, her Lord
D	Bm	G	Bm	A		
She	is	His	new cre-a-tion,	By	Spirit	and the Word;
D	G	D	Bm	Em		
From	heav'n	He	came and sought	her	To be	His ho-ly bride;
D	Bm	G	A	D		
With	His	own	blood	he	bought	her, and for her life He died.

[VERSE 2]

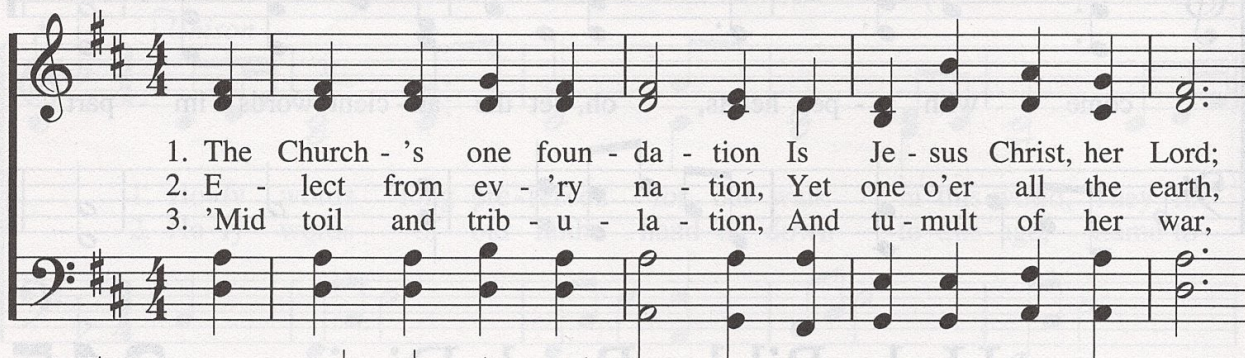
E-lect from ev-'ry na-tion, Yet one o'er all the earth,
Her char-ter of sal-va-tion: One Lord, one faith, one birth;
One holy name she bless-es, Par-takes one ho-ly food,
And to one hope she press-es, With ev-'ry grace en-dued.

[VERSE 3]

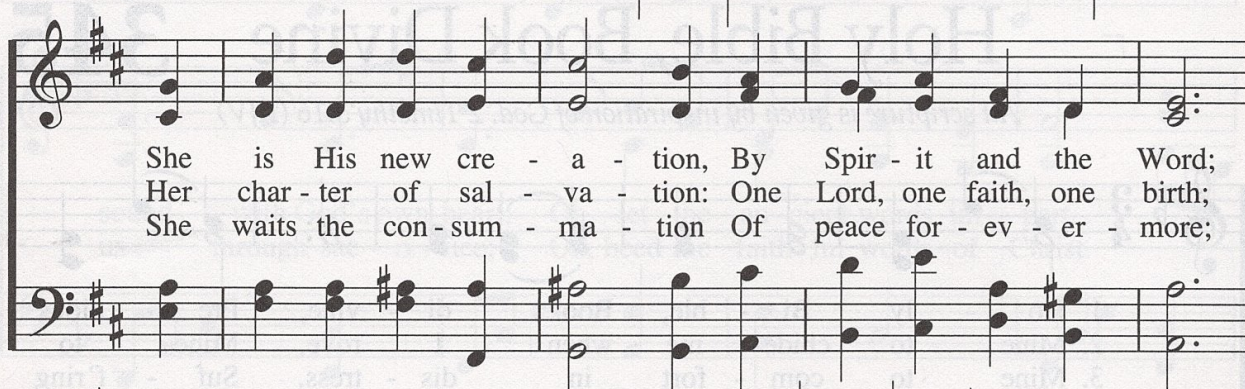
'Mid toil and trib-u-la-tion, And tu-mult of her war,
She waits the con-sum-ma-tion Of peace for-ev-er-more;
Till with the vi-sion glo-rious Her long-ing eyes are blest,
And the great Church vic-to-rious Shall be the Church at rest.

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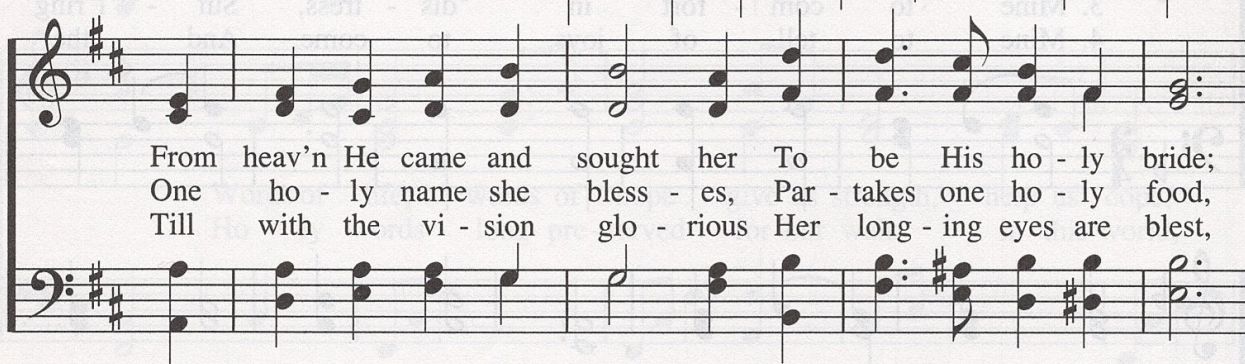
No one can lay any other foundation than what has been laid—that is, Jesus Christ. 1 Corinthians 3:11



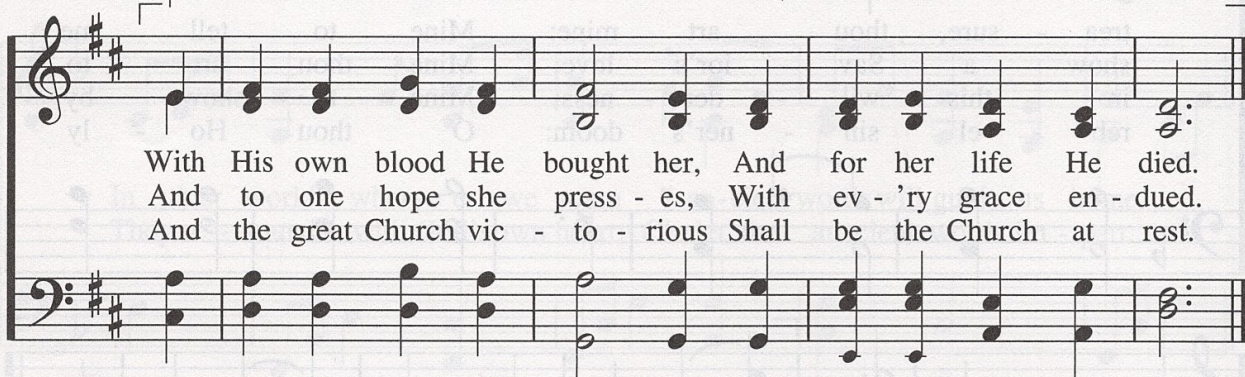
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