

# The church's one foundation

Bilingual version

Words: Samuel Stone  
Music: Aurelia (S. S. Wesley)

A musical score for four voices (SATB) and piano. The score consists of four staves. The top two staves are for the voices (Soprano and Alto), and the bottom two staves are for the Tenor and Bass. The piano part is on the far left. The music is in common time, with a key signature of one flat. The vocal parts enter at different times: the Alto starts first, followed by the Soprano, then the Tenor, and finally the Bass.

1.

The church's one foundation is Jesus Christ her Lord;  
She is his new creation, by water and the word:  
From heav'n he came and sought her to be his holy bride;  
With his own blood he bought her, and for her life he died.

2.

Door God bijeen vergaderd, één volk dat hem behoort,  
Als kind'ren van één Vader; één doop, één Geest, één woord.  
Zo offert allerwege de kerk U lof en prijs.  
Één naam is aller zegen één brood is aller spijs.

3.

Mid toil and tribulation, and tumult of her war,  
She waits the consummation of peace for evermore;  
Till with the vision glorious her longing eyes are blessed,  
And the great church victorious shall be the church at rest.

4.

Al heeft men haar geteisterd, al wordt zij onderdrukt,  
Door dwalingen verbijsterd, door strijd uiteengerukt,  
De stem der martelaren roept uit: o Heer, hoe lang?  
De nacht is vol gevaren, de morgen vol gezang.

5.

Yet she on earth hath union with God the Three in One,  
And mystic sweet communion with those whose rest is  
won.

O happy ones and holy! Lord, give us grace that we  
Like them, the meek and lowly, on high may dwell with  
thee.

## Lied/Hymn

## Longing for Light

1 Long-ing for light, we wait in dark-ness.  
Long-ing for truth, we turn to you.  
Make us your own, your ho-ly peo-ple,  
light for the world to see.

*refrain:*  
Christ, be our light!  
Shine in our hearts. Shine through the dark-ness.  
Christ, be our light!  
Shine in your church gath-ered to - day.

2. Longing for peace, our world is troubled.  
Longing for hope, many despair.  
Your word alone has power to save us.  
Make us your living voice.  
*Refrain*

3. Longing for food, many are hungry.  
Longing for water, many still thirst.  
Make us your bread, broken for others,  
shared until all are fed.  
*Refrain*

4. Longing for shelter, many are homeless.  
Longing for warmth, many are cold.  
Make us your building, sheltering others,  
walls made of living stone.  
*Refrain*

5. Many the gifts, many the people,  
many the hearts that yearn to belong.  
Let us be servants to one another,  
making your kingdom come.  
*Refrain*

1 Zoe-kend naar licht hier in het duis-ter,  
zoe-ken wij U, waar-heid en kracht.  
Maak ons uw volk, hei-lig, vol luis-ter,  
schijn in de don - kere nacht.

*refrain:*  
Chris - tus, ons licht,  
schijn door ons heen, schijn door het duis - ter.  
Chris - tus, ons licht,  
schijn ook van-daag, hier in uw huis.

2. Zoekend naar rust, zijn wij vol zorgen  
zoekend naar hoop, troost in uw woord.  
Spreek door ons heen tot de verdrukten,  
zo wordt uw stem gehoord.  
*Refrain*

3. Zoekend naar brood lijden zij honger,  
zoekend naar water lijden zij dorst.  
Maak ons uw brood, breek ons voor allen,  
U bent de vredesvorst.  
*Refrain*

4. Zoekend naar troost, velen zijn dakloos,  
zoekend naar warmte zijn velen zijn koud.  
Maak ons een huis van levende stenen,  
schuilplaats door u gebouwd.  
*Refrain*

5. Met zoveel gaven aan ons gegeven,  
Voor zoveel leed, zoveel gemis.  
Maak ons uw dienaars, leer ons te delen,  
tot dat uw rijk hier is.  
*Refrain*

# Christ is made the sure foundation

Ancient & Modern version

Words: J. M. Neale

Music: WESTMINSTER ABBEY (Henry Purcell)

## 1. Harmony

## 2. Unison

The musical score consists of three staves of music in common time, bass clef, and a key signature of two flats. The lyrics are written below each staff.

**Staff 1 (Top):**

1. Christ is made the sure found - a - tion, Christ the head and cor - ner - stone,  
2. Christ - us is de wa - re hoek - steen die ons huis te za - men - houdt,

**Staff 2 (Middle):**

Cho - sen of the Lord and pre - cious, Bind - ing all the church in one,  
Fun - da - ment waar - op de mu - ren steen voor steen zijn op - ge - bouwd.

**Staff 3 (Bottom):**

Ho - ly Si - on's help for ev - er, and her con - fi - dence a - lone.  
Si - on staat voor al - tijd ste - vig, om - dat het op hem ver - trouwt.

## 3. Harmony

All that dedicated city,  
dearly loved by God on high,  
in exultant jubilation  
pours perpetual melody,  
God the One, in threefold glory,  
singing everlasting.

## 4. Unison

Stad van God en stad van vrede,  
door de hemel zelf bemind,  
waar het lied nooit onderbroken  
en in elke toonaard klinkt,  
waar men eensgezind de lofzang  
om Gods grote glorie zingt.

## 5. Unison

Laud and honour to the Father,  
Laud and honour to the Son,  
Laud and honour to Spirit,  
Ever three and ever one,  
One in love and one in splendour,  
while unending ages run.

After v.5

The musical score consists of a single staff of music in common time, bass clef, and a key signature of two flats. The lyrics "A - men." are written below the staff.

# O Lord, hear my prayer

Taizé chant

Musical notation for the first part of the Taizé chant. The music is in common time (4/4) and G major. The vocal line consists of two parts: a soprano part and a basso continuo part. The lyrics are in English and Dutch, repeated twice. The soprano part has a melodic line with eighth and sixteenth notes, while the basso continuo part provides harmonic support with sustained notes and chords.

O Lord, hear my prayer, O Lord, hear my prayer, When I call, an - swer me.  
Heer, hoor mijn ge - bed, Heer, hoor mijn ge - bed, Als ik roep, ant - woord mij.

Musical notation for the second part of the Taizé chant. The music continues in common time (4/4) and G major. The vocal line consists of two parts: a soprano part and a basso continuo part. The lyrics are in English and Dutch, repeated twice. The soprano part has a melodic line with eighth and sixteenth notes, while the basso continuo part provides harmonic support with sustained notes and chords.

O Lord, hear my prayer, O Lord, hear my prayer, Come and lis - ten to me.  
Heer, hoor mijn ge - bed, Heer, hoor mijn ge - bed, Kom en luis - ter naar mij.

# Ubi caritas

A musical score for two voices (treble and bass) in 2/4 time. The key signature is one flat. The music consists of two staves. The treble staff begins with a forte dynamic, followed by eighth-note chords. The bass staff provides harmonic support with sustained notes and eighth-note chords. The lyrics are written below the notes:

U - bi ca - ri - tas et a - mor, U - bi ca - ri - tas, De - us i - bi est.

The bass staff concludes with a bass clef, indicating a change in pitch level.