

The Church's One Foundation

With the introit for the Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

1. The Chur - ch's one foun - da - tion Is Je - sus Christ her
2. E - lect from ev - 'ry na - tion, Yet one o'er all the
3. 'Mid toil and trib - u - la - tion, And tu - mult of her
4. Yet she on earth hath un - ion With God, the Three - in -
Introit. I saw the ho - ly ci - ty, A new Jer - u - sa -

Lord; She is his new cre - a - tion By wa - ter and the
earth, Her char - ter of sal - va - tion, "One Lord, one faith, one
war, She waits the con - sum - ma - tion Of peace for - ev - er -
One, And with the saints, com - mu - nion With those whose rest is
lem, Come down from God from heav - en, A bride a - dorned to

word: From heav'n he came and sought her To be his ho - ly
birth!" One ho - ly Name she bless - es, Par - takes one ho - ly
more, Till with the vi - sion glo - rious Her long - ing eyes are
won. O hap - py ones and ho - ly! Lord, give us grace that
wed. Be - hold God's stead - fast dwell - ing With all the hu - man

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bride; With his own blood he bought her, And
 food, And to one hope she press - es With
 blest, And the great Church vic - to - rious Shall
 we Like them, the meek and - low - ly, On
 race. He dwells with them, his peo - ple; Their

for - her life he died.
 ev - 'ry grace en - died.
 be the Church at rest.
 high may dwell with thee.
 God through time and space.