

## 1040. The Church's One Foundation

Text: Samuel J. Stone, 1839-1900, Music: Samuel S. Wesley, 1810-1876.



1. The Chur- ch's one foun - da - tion Is Je - sus Christ her Lord;
2. E - lect from ev - 'ry na - tion, Yet one o'er all the earth,
3. 'Mid toil and trib- u - la - tion, And tu- mult of her war,
4. Yet he on earth hath un - ion With God, the Three-in - One,



1. She is his new ere - a - tion By wa - ter and the word:
2. Her char- ter of sal - va - tion, "One Lord, one faith, one birth!"
3. She waits the con- sum - ma - tion Of peace for - ev - er - more,
4. And with the saints, com - mu - nion With those whose rest is won.



1. From heav'n he came and sought her To be his ho - ly bride;
2. One ho - ly Name she bless - es, Par - takes one ho - ly food,
3. Till with the vi - sion glo - rious Her long- ing eyes are blest,
4. O hap- py ones and ho - ly! Lord, give us grace that we



1. With his own blood he bought her, And for her life he died.
2. And to one hope she press - es With ev - 'ry grace en - dued.
3. And the great Church vie - to - rious Shall be the Church at rest.
4. Like them, the meek and low - ly, On high may dwell with thee.