

Festival of St Peter & St. Paul

93. Christ, Thou Art the Sure Foundation

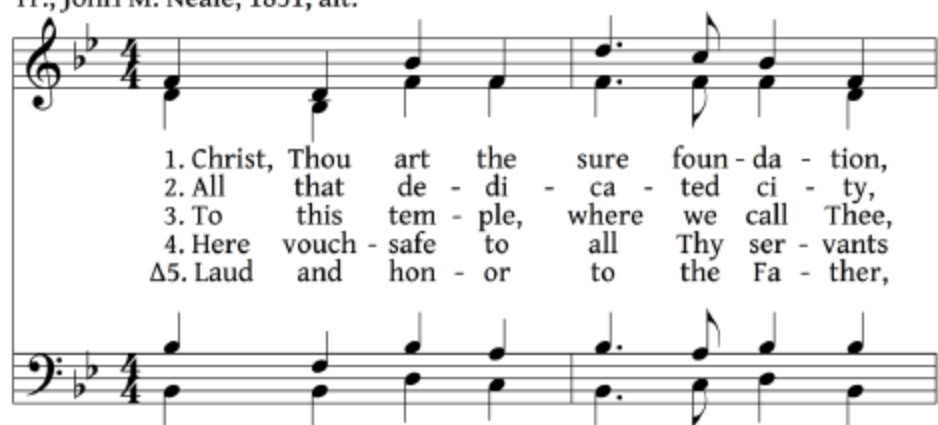
Angularis fundamentum

Author unknown, c. 700, cento

Tr., John M. Neale, 1851, alt.

Regent Square

Henry Smart, 1867



1. Christ, Thou art the sure foun - da - tion,
 2. All that de - di - ca - ted ci - ty,
 3. To this tem - ple, where we call Thee,
 4. Here vouch - safe to all Thy ser - vants
 Δ5. Laud and hon - or to the Fa - ther,



Christ the head and cor - ner - stone;
 Dear - ly loved of God on high,
 Come, O Lord of Hosts, to - day;
 What they ask of Thee to gain;
 Laud and hon - or to the Son,



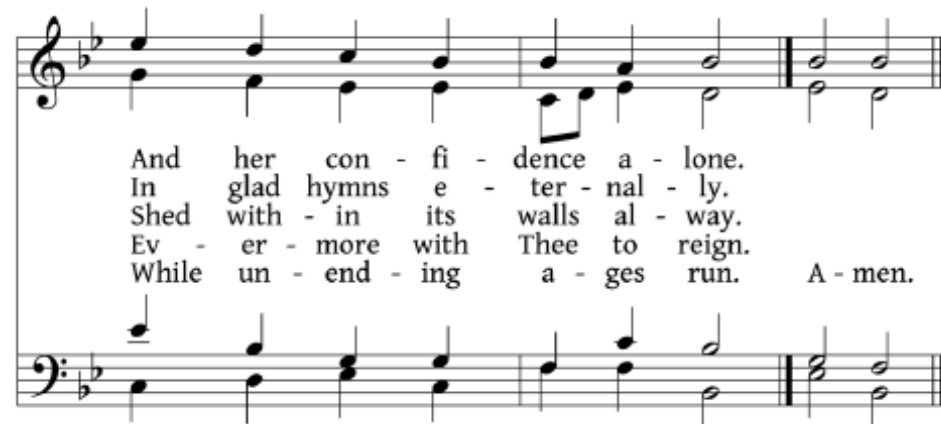
Cho - sen of the Lord, and pre - cious,
 In ex - ul - tant ju - bi - la - tion,
 With Thy wont - ed lov - ing - kind - ness
 What they gain from Thee for - ev - er
 Laud and hon - or to the Spir - it,



Bind - ing all the Church in one,
 Pours per - pet - ual mel - o - dy,
 Hear Thy ser - vants as they pray.
 With the bless - ed to re - tain,
 Ev - er Three and ev - er One;



Ho - ly Zi - on's help for - ev - er,
 God the One in Three a - dor - ing
 And Thy full - est ben - e - dic - tion
 And here - af - ter in Thy glo - ry
 Con - sub - stan - tial, co - e - ter - nal,



And her con - fi - dence a - lone.
 In glad hymns e - ter - nal - ly.
 Shed with - in its walls al - way.
 Ev - er - more with Thee to reign.
 While un - end - ing a - ges run. A - men.