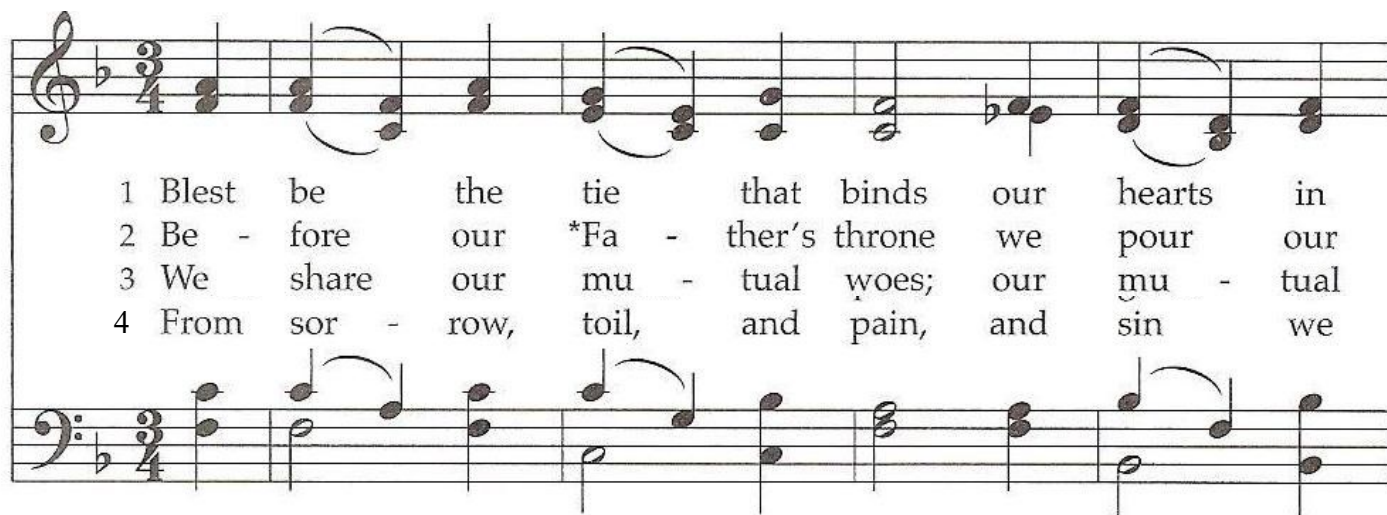


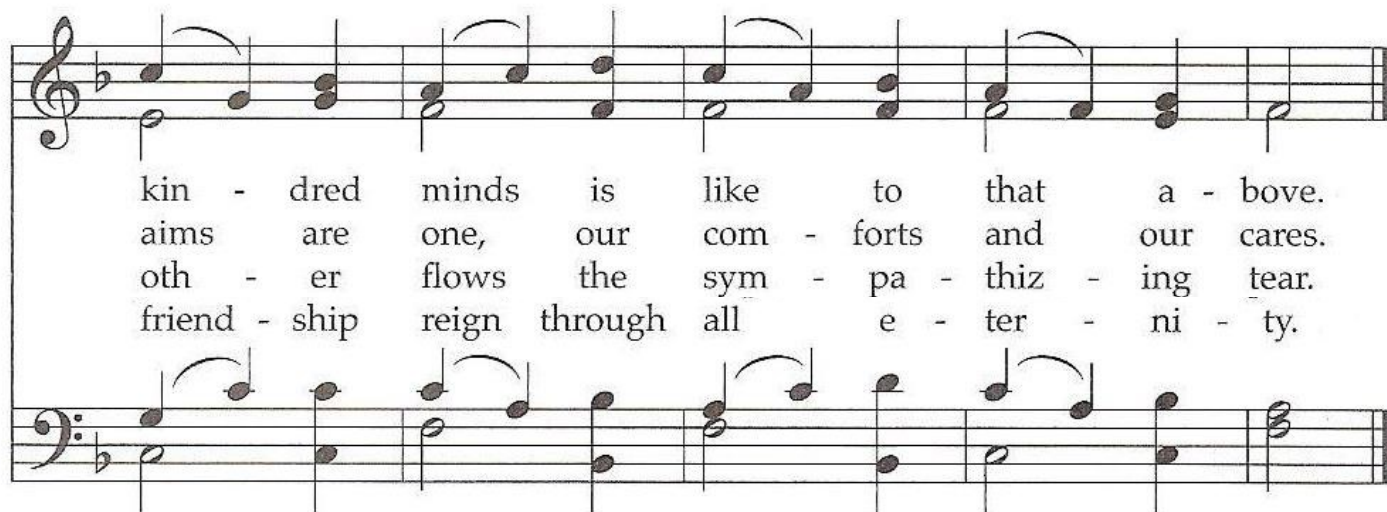
## Blest Be the Tie That Binds



1 Blest be the tie that binds our hearts in  
2 Be - fore our \*Fa - ther's throne we pour our  
3 We share our mu - tual woes; our mu - tual  
4 From sor - row, toil, and pain, and sin we



Chris - tian love. The fel - low - ship of  
ar - dent prayers. Our fears, our hopes, our  
bur - dens bear. And of - ten for each  
shall be free; and per - fect love and



kin - dred minds is like to that a - bove.  
aims are one, our com - forts and our cares.  
oth - er flows the sym - pa - thiz - ing tear.  
friend - ship reign through all e - ter - ni - ty.

Unison D A C G Gm Dm

1 Here in this place the new light is stream-ing, now is the dark-ness  
 2 We are the young, our lives are a mys-tery, we are the old who  
 3 Here we will take the wine and the wa-ter, here we will take the  
 4 Not in the dark of build-ings con-fin-ing, not in some heav-en,

C G D A C

van-ished a-way; see in this space our fears and our  
 yearn for your face; we have been sung through-out all of  
 bread of new birth, here you shall call your sons and your  
 light years a-way— here in this place the new light is

G Gm Dm C D C/D

dream-ings brought here to you in the light of this day.  
 his-tory, called to be light to the whole hu-man race.  
 daugh-ters, call us a-new to be salt for the earth.  
 shin-ing, now is the king-dom, and now is the day.

B<sup>b</sup>/D D A C D G A

Gath-er us in, the lost and for-sak-en,  
 Gath-er us in, the rich and the haugh-ty,  
 Give us to drink the wine of com-pas-sion,  
 Gath-er us in and hold us for-ev-er,

# Gather Us In

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The musical score is written for voice and bass. The key signature has two sharps (F# and C#), and the time signature is 4/4. The score is divided into three systems, each with a vocal line and a bass line. Chord symbols are placed above the vocal line.

**System 1:**

Chords: C, D, G, A

Lyrics:  
 gath - er us in, the blind and the lame;  
 gath - er us in, the proud and the strong;  
 give us to eat the bread that is you;  
 gath - er us in and make us your own;

**System 2:**

Chords: D, A, C, G, Gm

Lyrics:  
 call to us now, and we shall a - wak - en, we shall a -  
 give us a heart, so meek and so low - ly, give us the  
 nour-ish us well, and teach us to fash - ion lives that are  
 gath - er us in, all peo - ples to - geth - er, fire of

**System 3:**

Chords: Dm, C, D, C/D, B<sup>b</sup>/D, D

Lyrics:  
 rise at the sound of our name.  
 cour-age to en - ter the song.  
 ho - ly and hearts that are true.  
 love in our flesh and our bone.

*Optional prayer (based on Eph. 4:12-13)*

Triune God,  
 Father, Son, and Holy Spirit,  
 you have adopted us as your children,  
 you lavish your grace upon us at Word and table.  
 May all we do here equip us for ministry,  
 build us up as the body of Christ,  
 strengthen our unity in faith,  
 deepen our knowledge of Jesus, our Lord.



# Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation

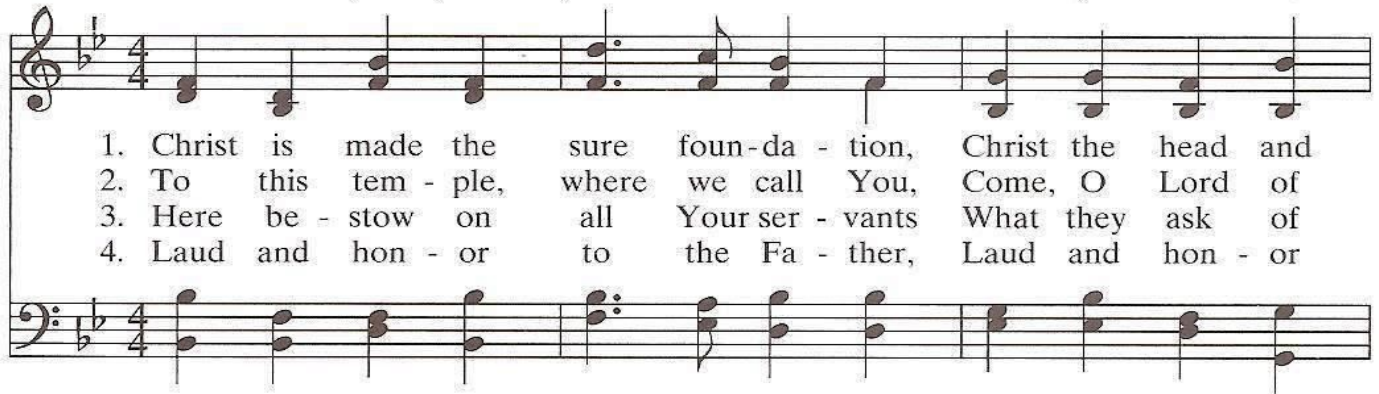
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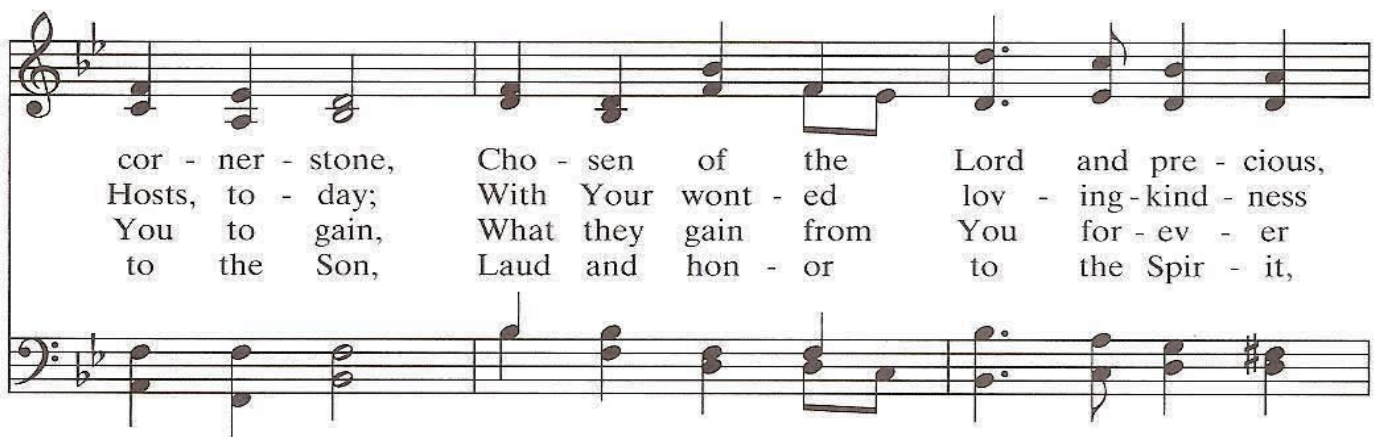
7th century, Latin

Trans. John Mason Neale, 1851; alt. 1861, 1972

Henry Thomas Smart, 1867



1. Christ is made the sure foun-da - tion, Christ the head and  
 2. To this tem - ple, where we call You, Come, O Lord of  
 3. Here be - stow on all Your ser - vants What they ask of  
 4. Laud and hon - or to the Fa - ther, Laud and hon - or



cor - ner - stone, Cho - sen of the Lord and pre - cious,  
 Hosts, to - day; With Your wont - ed lov - ing-kind - ness  
 You to gain, What they gain from You for - ev - er  
 to the Son, Laud and hon - or to the Spir - it,



Bind - ing all the church in one; Ho - ly Zi - on's  
 Hear Your peo - ple as they pray, And Your full - est  
 With the bless - ed to re - tain, And here - af - ter  
 Ev - er three and ev - er one; One in might and



help for - ev - er, And our con - fi - dence a - lone.  
 ben - e - dic - tion Shed with - in its walls al - way.  
 in Your glo - ry Ev - er - more with You to reign.  
 one in glo - ry While un - end - ing a - ges run.