

in her faith, her ministry, her order, her worship, in all her great distinctive principles—Maintain her at all hazards. For amidst the agitations and tumults of error and enthusiasm, she is the asylum of the wise and the good ; amidst the conflicts of heresy and schism, she is the safeguard of the truth as it is in Jesus, of all that He and His apostles ordained to advance the salvation of a lost world. Almighty God, give to us all, the wisdom and the grace to do our duty in the trials and exigencies to which Thy church may be called, and thus to approve ourselves to Thee, for the sake of Him who loved that Church and gave himself for it, and now lives to intercede for and to bless it, CHRIST JESUS the LORD.