

Proper of Saints.

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S. PETER'S DAY.

ALTONA.
Slow.

Attributed to LUTHER.

d=56.

A - men.

NOTE.—See 331 for a setting of "Altona" by J. S. Bach.

- 1 CREATOR of the rolling flood,
On Whom Thy people hope alone,
Who cam'st by Water and by Blood,
For man's offences to atone :
- 2 Who from the labours of the deep
Didst set Thy servant Peter free,
To feed on earth Thy chosen sheep,
And build an Endless Church for Thee ;
- 3 Grant us, devoid of worldly care,
And leaning on Thy bounteous Hand,
To seek Thy help in humble prayer,
And on Thy Sacred Rock to stand :
- 4 And when, our life-long toil to crown,
Thy call shall set the spirit free,
To cast with joy our burden down
And rise, O Lord, and follow Thee.

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