

Psalme 86

The Church of Chrift beginning in Ierufalem, 3. is extended to al Nations, 5. glorious, 6. and permanent, 7. in holie ioy.

The Catholique Church glorious.
The 6. key.

To the children of Core, a Pfalme of Canticle.

The fundations thereof in the holie ^{a)}mountaynes:
² our Lord loueth the gates of Sion, aboue al
the tabernacles of Iacob.

³ Glorious thinges are faide of thee, ô citie of God.

⁴ ^{b)}I wil be mindeful of ^{c)}Raab, and Babylon knowing me.

Behold ^{d)}the foreners, and Tyre, & the people of the Æthiopians, theſe ^{e)}were there.

⁵ Shal it not be faid of Sion ^{f)}Man and man, is borne in her; and ^{g)}the Higheſt himſelfe founded her?

⁶ Our Lord wil declare ^{h)}in ſcriptures of peoples, and ⁱ⁾of princes: of thoſe that haue bene in her.

^a Chriſts Church was firſt founded in Ierufalem on Whitfunday, *Act. 2.* in mount Sion, which hath two toppes, in one of which the Temple ſtood, in the other Dauids towre or palace.

^b The Prophet in the perſon of Chriſt, faith he wil commend vnto his Apoſtles, and other Apoſtolical men, that they conuert al nations (as our Sauour gaue expreſſe commiſſion and commandment *Math. 28. Luc. 24. v. 47. Act. 1. v. 8.*)

^c naming here Raab (which is Ægypt) and Babylon:

^d The Philiftims, Tyrians, Æthiopians,

^e & the reſt, ſhal be regenerate in this Church, which for the affured certaintie therof (after the prophets maner of ſpeaking) is affirmed in the pretence, as if it were then donne.

^f It ſhal be reported, or one ſhal fay to an other: Loe this and that man, al theſe and al theſe men are regenerate by Baptiſme in the Church of Chriſt.

^g God himſelfe, Chriſt God and Man, founded this Church.

^h The multitude of the elect is ſo great, that only God knoweth the number,

ⁱ and the qualities of al fortes, of Princes, Prelates, and Peoples.

⁷ The ^a)habitation in thee, is as it were of al reioyc-
ing.

^a Great fpiritual ioy with peace of confcience, is in true Chriftian
Catholiques in the militant Church; but the bleffed haue the moft
abfolute & fecure ioy of al, in the Church triumphant.