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The Church in the Middle Ages

Foundations of early Medieval society

* Classical heritage of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ beliefs
* Customs of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ tribes

Even though many people in early Medieval Europe were not united politically, they were united under \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

King \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and later Frankish kings (particularly \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_), united \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, combining political ruling authority with Christian authority. This united previously separate areas.

Influence of the Roman Catholic Church

* Roman authority \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, while church authority \_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ preserved Greco-Roman cultural achievements
* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ carried Christianity and Latin alphabet to Germanic tribes
* Pope appointed Charlemagne as the Holy Roman Emperor (“\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_”) in 800 A.D.
* Parish \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ served the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ needs of the people