Hosanna, Loud Hosanna

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Music: Gesangbuch der H. W. k. Hofkapelle, 1784, alt.;
(Tune: ELLACOMBE, 76.76 D)
(Matthew 21:8-9; Mark 11:8-10; John 12:12-13)

1. Hosanna, loud Hosanna, the little children sang;
   through pillared court and temple the waving, and chanting clear and loud.
   To Jesus, who had blessed them close folded to his breast,
   the children sang their praises, the simplest and the best.
   1.

2. From Oli vet they followed mid an exultant crowd,
   for Christ is our Re-deemer, the love-ly an-them rang.
   The Lord of earth and heaven rode on in lowly state,
   nor scorned the little children should on his bidding wait.
   2.

3. "Hosanna in the highest" that ancient song we sing,
   through pillared court and temple the waving, and chanting clear and loud.
   O may we ev- er praise him with heart and life and voice,
   and in his blissful presence eternal rejoice!
   3.