

PALM SUNDAY

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON (Solemn Entrance I)

The children of the Hebrews, carrying olive branches,
went to meet the Lord, crying out and saying:
Hosanna in the highest.

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- **The antiphons (introit) have been arranged as a hymn!**
- **Pick a tune from the box, or use the one provided in the organ score!**
- **Copy and paste the text below into your worship aid, or use the melody PDF/PNG provided.**
- **consider pasting original antiphon as well. Not to sing, but so people understand what's going on!**

Introit Hymn OPTION

R. While waving olive branches,
they praised the Lord as one;
“Hosanna in the Highest;”
In mercy you have come.

1. The Lord, before the Passo'er,
came to Jerusalem;
The children of the Hebrews
ran up to meet him when: R

2. O gates lift high your lintels,
grow higher ancient doors;
Who is this King of Glory?
The Lord whom heav'n adores. R

3. He is the King of Glory,
The Lord, the Blessed One,
“Hosanna in the Highest;”
In mercy you have come. R

Pick one tune for Introit Hymn 7676D:
Use with ST THEODULPH: All Glory, Laud and
Honor

The RM says: **As the procession enters the church, there is sung the following responsory or another chant, which should speak of the Lord's entrance.** Vs 1 does this, and Vs 2-3 are from the appointed Psalm 24.

*Text: Palm Sunday Responsory; Psalm 24: 9, 10; Ingrediente Domino;
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Tune: ST THEODULPH, 7 6 7 6 D; Melchior Teschner (1584-1635)*

Introit Hymn OPTION 2

Ant. Hosanna shout unto the King,
Go meet him, olive branches bring,
The children of the Hebrews cry,
Hosanna to the Lord Most High.

Ÿ Lift up your heads, ye mighty gates;
Behold, the King of glory waits;
The King of kings is drawing near;
The Savior of the world is here!

(Repeat Ant. & Ÿ as needed)

Use with TRURO LM: Lift Up Your Heads Ye
Mighty Gates

This great old hymn sets a verse from Psalm 24,
which the RM appoints to alternate with this
antiphon. So, repeat antiphon and verse as needed
to cover procession.

TEXT: V Ps. 24, Georg Weissel 1642, translated by Catherine Winkworth 1855.

Tune: TRURO LM: Thomas Williams, Psalmodia Evangelica, 1789

*Introit for Palm Sunday Mass, Antiphon 1 Solemn Form Roman Missal
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Other verses:

Antiphon 2 LM (This is an alternate antiphon for Form I, the Procession)

Young children spread their garments out,
Hosanna to the King, they shout,
How blest is he, great David's son,
Who in the Lord's name now has come.

R. Christ to the Holy City came,
The Hebrew children did proclaim,
While waving palms they loudly cried,
Hosanna to the Lord, Most High.

V. When people heard the Lord had come
To enter old Jerusalem,
They went to see the Lord draw nigh,
While waving their palm branches high.

These two verses are the **R**esponsory and **V**erse
specified for the **Second Form: The Solemn Entrance**,
during the entrance into the church. But any of the
other verses would be appropriate as well.