The Holy Spirit taught the Apostles to speak in many strange languages. He also inspired the innocent Hebrew children to sing: “Hosanna in the highest!”

Blessed is He that comes, the King of Israel!”

The Word of God Who has no beginning:

[the Father’s coeternal . . . ]
the Father's Co-e-ter-nal Son, to-day comes to the
city of Je-ru-sa-lem, en-throned on a dumb beast, the
foal of an ass. The Cher-u-bim are afraid to
gaze up-on Him, yet the children honor Him with palms and
branch-es. The Spir-it inspires their song of praise:

[“Hosanna in the . . . ”]
"Ho-sanna in the highest! Ho-san-na to Da-vid's Son, //

Who has come to save man-kind from er-ror!"

Six days before the Feast of Pass-over, 

Thy voice resounded in the depths of hell, O Lord, rais-ing 

Lazarus who had been dead four days. Then the children of the 

[Hebrews danced . . .]
Hebrews danced and sang: // “Hosanna to our God!”

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Thou hast entered the Holy City, O Lord, riding

on the colt of an ass, hastening to Thy Passion,

that the Law and the Prophets might be fulfilled. The Hebrew

[children greeted . . .]
children greeted Thee with palms and branches,

heralding Thy victorious Resurrection. // Blessed art Thou, O Savior! Have mercy on us!

Glory to Thee, O Christ, enthroned on high!

Today we lift up Thy precious Cross, as we await Thy
The daughter of Zion is glad; all nations on earth rejoice; the children wave branches; the disciples make a carpet of clothes. All the ends of the earth learn to cry to Thee: “Blessed art Thou, O Savior! Have mercy on us!”
Six days before the Feast of Passover Jesus came to Bethany. He restored Lazarus to life, announcing the coming resurrection. Martha and Mary met Him, crying: "Lord, if Thou hadst been here, our brother would not have died!" Jesus [answered them]
answered them, “Have I not already told you:

If anyone believes in me, even if he dies, he shall live? Show me the place where you buried him!” //

Then the Creator of all cried out to him: “Lazarus, come forth!”