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Holy God, we praise thy name

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1 Ho - ly God, we praise thy name. Lord of all, we
 2 Hark, the loud ce - les - tial hymn, an - gel choirs a -
 3 Lo! the ap - os - tol - ic train join thy sa - cred
 4 Ho - ly Fa - ther, ho - ly Son, Ho - ly Spir - it,

bow be - fore thee. All on earth thy scep - ter claim;
 bove are rais - ing. Cher - u - bim and ser - a - phim,
 name to hal - low. Proph - ets swell the glad re - frain,
 three we name thee, though in es - sence on - ly one,

all in heav'n a - bove a - dore thee. In - fi - nite thy
 in un - ceas - ing cho - rus prais - ing, fill the heav'ns with
 and the white - robed mar - tyrs fol - low, and, from morn till
 un - di - vid - ed God we claim thee, and a - dor - ing

vast do - main, ev - er - last - ing is thy reign.
 sweet ac - cord: Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord.
 set of sun, through the church the song goes on.
 bend the knee, while we own the mys - ter - y.

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 Ignaz Franz's German translation (ca. 1774) of Te Deum laudamus, alt.

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