

## U3A "LEARN TO SING" Lesson 2

### VOCAL EXERCISES

1. Arpeggio Ho, Ha, Ho, Ha, Ho... Begin on B below Middle C. Go up and/or down a semitone at a time
2. Scale up and down
3. That pen is not much good. Pa may we all go, too?

### SONG Clap Your Hands – a Gospel Song base on Psalm 47:1

**Gospel music** is a genre of Christian music. The creation, performance, significance, and even the definition of gospel music varies according to culture and social context. Gospel music is composed and performed for many purposes, including aesthetic pleasure, religious or ceremonial purposes, and as an entertainment product for the marketplace. Gospel music usually has dominant vocals (often with strong use of harmony) with Christian lyrics. Gospel music can be traced to the early 17th century.

Hymns and sacred songs were often repeated in a call and response fashion. Most of the churches relied on hand clapping and foot stomping as rhythmic accompaniment. Most of the singing was done a cappella. The first published use of the term "gospel song" probably appeared in 1874.

Ref- Wikipedia

### **Clap Your Hands**

**hahnds**

Clap your hands all ye people;

**vorhs of traoomph**

Shout unto God with a voice of triumph.

**hahnds**

Clap your hands all ye people;

**vorhs of prehz**

Shout unto God with a voice of praise.

**Hozahna! Hozahna!**

**vorhs of traoomph**

Hosanna! Hosanna! Shout unto God with a voice of triumph.

**Prehz Him! Prehz Him!**

**vorhs of prehz!**

Praise Him! Praise Him! Shout unto God with a voice of praise!