

WHY DO WE HAVE AUDIBLE PRAISE UNTO GOD?

“Praise the Lord, O my soul; all my inmost being, praise His holy name.” (Psalm 103:1)

*“After this I heard what sounded like the roar of a great multitude in heaven shouting:
“Hallelujah! Salvation and glory and power belongs to our God ... Then I heard what sounded
like a great multitude, like the roar of rushing waters and like loud peals of thunder, shouting:
“Hallelujah! For our Lord God Almighty reigns.” (Revelation 19:1,6)*

WHY DO WE HAVE THIS TYPE OF WORSHIP?

*“Yet a time is coming and has now come when the true worshipers will worship the Father in
spirit and truth, for they are the kind of worshipers the Father seeks. God is spirit, and his
worshipers must worship in spirit and in truth.” (John 4:23-24)*

*“For it is we who are the circumcision, we who worship by the Spirit of God, who glory in Christ
Jesus, and who put no confidence in the flesh.” (Philippians 3:3)*

WHY DO WE SING CHORUSES AS WELL AS HYMNS?

*“Do not get drunk on wine, which leads to debauchery. Instead, be filled with the Spirit. Speak
to one another with psalms, hymns and spiritual songs. Sing and make music in your heart to the
Lord.”
(Ephesians 5:18-19)*

*“Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly as you teach and admonish one another with all
wisdom, and as you sing psalms, hymns and spiritual songs with gratitude in your hearts to
God.” (Colossians 3:16)*

WHY DO WE PROPHECY?

*“Follow the way of love and eagerly desire spiritual gifts, especially the gift of prophecy.”
(1 Corinthians 14:1)*

*“Now to each one the manifestation of the Spirit is given for the common good. ...to another
miraculous powers, to another prophecy.”
(1 Corinthians 12:7,10)*

*“But everyone who prophesies speaks to men for their strengthening, encouragement and
comfort.” (1 Corinthians 14:3)*

WHY DO WE HAVE SPEAKING WITH TONGUES AND INTERPRETATION OF THOSE TONGUES IN THE CHURCH?

*“Therefore, my brothers, be eager to prophesy, and do not forbid speaking in tongues.”
(1 Corinthians 14:39)*

*“Now to each one the manifestation of the Spirit is given for the common good. ... to another speaking in different kinds of tongues, and to still another the interpretation of tongues.”
(1 Corinthians 12:7,10)*

*“I would like every one of you to speak in tongues, but I would rather have you prophesy. He who prophesies is greater than one who speaks in tongues, unless he interprets, so that the church may be edified.”
(1 Corinthians 14:5)*

“If anyone speaks in a tongue, two - or at the most three - should speak, one at a time, and someone must interpret.” (1 Corinthians 14:27)