

SACRED NAME COLLECTION

Song 74 of 96 | Songs of Praise songbook - not in the three named groups

Collection: Songs of Praise (curriculum songbook, Kindergarten-University) | Level / place: Grade 1

Per-instrument parts in source: NO - source prints instrument list and musical direction for the song; no per-instrument parts

Clap and Sing

Source: Songs of Praise curriculum songbook (restructured/songs_of_praise_curriculum.md; identical text in the songbook PDF)

Version used: Songbook as built 2026-10-11

FREQUENCY CHART PRESENTATION - A = 432 Hz

Tuning reference for the whole Collection: A = 432 Hz (Frequency Chart & Music-Education Instructions). A=432 Hz is a tuning reference, not the same thing as applying a 432 Hz single tone throughout a song; frequency cue, sung pitch and lyrical peak are separate artistic decisions.

These frequency-to-emotion associations are symbolic production prompts (Frequency Chart evidence note).

THE SONG IN FULL - AS PRINTED IN THE SOURCE

Thread: Learning to praise Him

Musical direction: G major, joyful march, about 116 BPM. Stomp and clap on the beat. Call-and-response: teacher sings the call, children sing the response in bold.

Instruments: Rhythm sticks, woodblock, hand drums; voices in call-and-response.

Teaching note: Praise is not only for church or assembly - it belongs to mornings, meals, play, and bedtime. This song teaches children that praise is a **daily** habit, woven through an ordinary day.

Chorus

We praise Yahweh, yes we do! (yes we do!)

We praise Yahweh, me and you! (me and you!)

Clap your hands **(clap clap)**, stomp your feet **(stomp stomp)**,

Praise Him with the music's beat!

Verse 1

In the morning when I wake, **(stretch up)**

I will praise Him - **(children: "I will praise Him!")**

For the breakfast that I eat, **(rub tummy)**

I will thank Him - **(children: "I will thank Him!")**

(Chorus)

Verse 2

When I'm playing in the sun, **(march in place)**

I will praise Him - **(children: "I will praise Him!")**

When the busy day is done, **(yawn and stretch)**

I will thank Him - **(children: "I will thank Him!")**

(Chorus)