# **MUSIC RESOURCES (AUDIO)**

# ONLINE RESOURCES FOR PRE-RECORDED MUSIC FOR WORSHIP

In addition to selecting music from Spotify, iTunes or Amazon Music, the following resources include pre-recorded performed music for worship: songs which can be used by congregations who are using Zoom or are live-streaming services, as well as those who want to use pre-recorded performed music during their in-person services.

# -Gospel Americana - pre-recorded live music for worship

The term Gospel Americana is the way we have come to describe the musical style that emerged from the songs that were written for Thad's Church in Los Angeles. The Thad's Band has developed a sound and a body of work which speaks to hearts. This unique "songbook" is spirit based, with lyric content that speaks to faith and everyday problems and a feel that borrows from American roots music: Country, Rhythm & Blues, Blues, Gospel and Classic Rock. You will find them both familiar and unique. Lyrics included for each song.



Click link: Gospel Americana

# -Liturgical Folk - pre-recorded live music for worship

Liturgical Folk is a sound of liturgical renewal, pairing historic church language with modern folk sounds. They believe the church can be a credible artistic witness in the world by listening to the "sound in the ground" of a place, and by making beautiful and believable sacred music in response. All are invited to join them as they reimagine the hymnal for a new generation of ecumenical worship. The music features melodies and harmonies with simple instrumentation of piano, organ, and acoustic guitar.



They are creating a cohesive network of like-minded churches and artists with the hope of inspiring and refreshing all followers of Christ wherever they may be on their journey and to resource the Church with what they have discovered deep in its bones and prayer books.

Click link: Liturgical Folk

### **DIGITAL HYMNAL:**

(For Recorded Music When Live Music Is Not Available)

- **Hymnal Plus** is designed for churches that do not have the opportunity to provide live music during their worship services, and enables congregations to sing along to thousands of hymns and songs for worship without the need of instruments or musicians.



Click link: **Hymnal Plus** 

## Over 9000 recordings available ... and growing

The HT-400 Hymnal Plus has thousands of tunes built-in, providing immediate access to a wealth of music. This repertoire comprises three main types of tunes: traditional hymns, modern worship music and incidental music. A fourth category - psalms and canticles - is available if the Psalm Player option is installed. In all, the standard repertoire includes over 2750 recordings, linked to over 7300 hymn book entries. Additional tune repertoire is available to purchase."

#### Includes:

Baptist Hymnal 1991
Book of Worship for United States Forces
Celebration Hymnal (1997)
Christian Praise Hymnal
Hymnal for Worship & Celebration (1986)
Hymns for the Family of God
Lutheran Book of Worship
The Hymnal 1982 (with service music\*) \*Pre-recordable items only
The Presbyterian Hymnal
The Worshipping Church
United Methodist Hymnal
Worship in Song