

### Rituals and Religious Music

Around the world, music has been used in religious ceremonies, tribal gatherings and for all important events. It creates an **atmosphere**.

What events can you think of that integrates music?

As you listen to track 8, notice the difference from the beginning of the song to the end of the song. What *effect* does that have on you as the listener?

You have listened to different versions of "O Canada". Do you have a preference?

Let's listen to different national anthems. As you listen, think about the **atmosphere** being created.