

First Baptist Church of Accokeek

“Bringing the WORD to the World.”

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JESUS is JOY! by Frank Shelton, Jr



Sadly, society depicts **Jesus** as boring, Christianity filled with rules and the church a bunch of hypocrites. Well, at age 36, and following Jesus closely for 29 years this month; my life has been everything but BORING! We can encounter JOY with Jesus because He is “The Way, The Truth and The Life and no man can get to Heaven unless through Him.”

Long ago, I learned that in order to have true “joy” we need to place **Jesus** first, **Others** second and **Yourself** last. If you are not enjoying true peace, joy and purpose than it is a fact that your priorities are askew. Today, consider giving God a chance in your life. Visit our NEW website www.FBCOA.org and learn how you can make your reservation for Heaven secure. Jesus died that you could live. That my friend, is something worth smiling about. Only Jesus brings true JOY! God bless and go with God.

- **Frank Shelton, Jr** is a national Christian speaker, author and founder of **Celebrate Jesus! Crusades**. Presently, Frank is one of the three NEW co-pastors at FBC Accokeek and he is helping the local church

grow in grace. He is married to Ruth and they share a daughter, Hannah Grace. For more info visit www.FrankShelton.com

UPCOMING EVENTS!!

August 10, 2008 – **MISSY COOPER** will be **IN CONCERT** @ 11 AM Worship! Missy is a Christian Recording Artist & member of the “TUESDAY NIGHT LIVE” Praise Band. She is also a Celebrate Jesus! artist and bring your friends!

September 28, 2008 – **NIKITA KOLOFF** – former *Heavyweight Wrestling Champion of the World* will preach @ the Sunday morning service! Nikita was recently inducted into the WWF Hall of Fame and now an evangelist and preaches about Jesus all across America!
Parents: **BRING YOUR KIDS** to this exciting, evangelistic event!



www.NikitaKoloff.com

MINISTRY HIGHLIGHTS @ FBC ACCOKEEK

- Grammy Award Winner **MICHAEL ENGLISH** was in concert at the “little church” with BIG faith (next to the Water Tower) this past Spring! Following Michael’s concert – **18 adults** accepted **Christ** as Savior. **Go God!**
- **BAPTISMS** – Sadly, over 10,000 Baptist Churches did not baptize a single person in FY 2007. On July 13, 2008, FBC Accokeek baptized **8** adults and adolescents! What a celebration transpired that Sunday!

WORD of the DAY

"When your down to nothing. Jesus is UP to something."

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(The little church with BIG faith). Located next to the Water Tower! Visit www.FBCOA.org