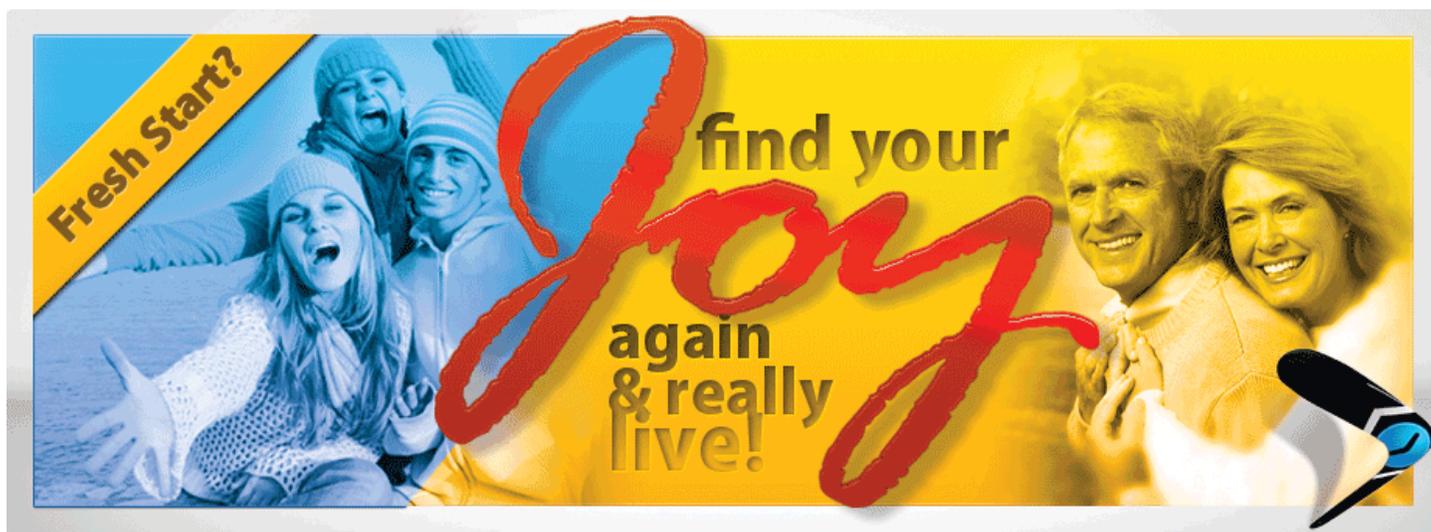


Welcome To boomerang**church**



UpComing Events:

Mon Apr 29th	6pm	Community Ladies Gathering @ Bluebay
Thurs May 2nd	@ Noon	National Day of Prayer Downtown Square
Fri May 3rd	11am	Pastor's Forum Help Serve!
Sun May 12th		Mother's Day Service!
Mon May 13th	7pm	Men's Group! Blue Bay Restaurant
Sat May 4th		Flyering
Sat May 11th		Flyering
Sat May 18th		VICTORY DAY! In Locust

Weekly Services:

Wednesdays	6:30pm	LIFE Group- BLUE BAY- Johnny & Holly
Thursdays	6pm	LIFE Group- WEST STANLY- Paul & Jade
Fridays	6:30pm	LIFE Group- NORWOOD- Kendall & Jessica
	9am	FrontLines Prayer
Sundays	10:30am	Worship Service
	5:30pm	ABLAZE Youth! Grades 6-12

Message Today: **From Sweat To Favor!**

Rev 2:1 "To the angel of the church in Ephesus write: The One who holds the seven stars in His right hand, the One who walks among the seven golden lampstands, says this:

Rev 2:2 'I know your deeds and your toil and perseverance, and that you cannot tolerate evil men, and you put to the test those who call themselves apostles, and they are not, and you found them *to be* false;

Rev 2:3 and you have perseverance and have endured for My name's sake, and have not grown weary.

Rev 2:4 'But I have *this* against you, that you have left your first love.

Rev 2:5 'Therefore remember from where you have fallen, and repent and do the deeds you did at first; or else I am coming to you and will remove your lampstand out of its place—unless you repent.

Pro 10:22 (NASB) It is the blessing of the LORD that makes rich, And He adds no sorrow [*toil*] to it.

Pro 10:22 (AMPC+) The blessing of the Lord--it makes [*truly*] rich, and He adds no sorrow with it [*neither does toiling increase it*].

Mat 11:28-30 (NASB) "Come to Me, all who are weary and heavy-laden, and I will give you rest. **29** "Take My yoke upon you and learn from Me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and YOU WILL FIND REST FOR YOUR SOULS. **30** "For My yoke is easy and My burden is light."

Luk 5:1-11 (KJV) And it came to pass, that, as the people pressed upon him to hear the word of God, he stood by the lake of Gennesaret, **2** And saw two ships standing by the lake: but the fishermen were gone out of them, and were washing *their* nets. **3** And he entered into one of the ships, which was Simon's, and prayed him that he would thrust out a little from the land. And he sat down, and taught the people out of the ship. **4** Now when he had left speaking, he said unto Simon, Launch out into the deep, and let down your nets for a draught. **5** And Simon answering said unto him, Master, **we have toiled all the night**, and have taken nothing: nevertheless at thy word I will let down the net. **6** And when they had this done, they inclosed a great multitude of fishes: and their net brake. **7** And they beckoned unto *their* partners, which were in the other ship, that they should

come and help them. And they came, and filled both the ships, so that they began to sink. **8** When Simon Peter saw *it*, he fell down at Jesus' knees, saying, Depart from me; for I am a sinful man, O Lord. **9** For he was astonished, and all that were with him, at the draught of the fishes which they had taken: **10** And so *was* also James, and John, the sons of Zebedee, which were partners with Simon. And Jesus said unto Simon, Fear not; from henceforth thou shalt catch men. **11** And when they had brought their ships to land, they forsook all, and followed him.

Gen 3:17 Then to Adam He said, "Because you have listened to the voice of your wife, and have eaten from the tree about which I commanded you, saying, 'You shall not eat from it'; Cursed is the ground because of you; In toil you will eat of it All the days of your life.

Gen 3:18 "Both thorns and thistles it shall grow for you; And you will eat the plants of the field;

Gen 3:19 By the sweat of your face You will eat bread, Till you return to the ground, Because from it you were taken; For you are dust, And to dust you shall return."

Luk 8:14 (NASB) "The *seed* which fell among the thorns, these are the ones who have heard, and as they go on their way they are choked with worries and riches and pleasures of *this* life, and bring no fruit to maturity.

Luk 6:44 (NASB) "For each tree is known by its own fruit. For men do not gather figs from thorns, nor do they pick grapes from a briar bush.

1Pe 2:24 (KJV) Who his own self bare our sins in his own body on the tree, that we, being dead to sins, should live unto righteousness: by whose stripes ye were healed.

Mat 8:17 (KJV) That it might be fulfilled which was spoken by Esaias the prophet, saying, Himself took our infirmities, and bare *our* sicknesses.

Joh 19:1-5 (NASB) Pilate then took Jesus and scourged Him. **2** And the soldiers twisted together a crown of thorns and put it on His head, and put a purple robe on Him; **3** and they *began* to come up to Him and say, "Hail, King of the Jews!" and to give Him slaps *in the face*. **4** Pilate came out again and *said* to them, "Behold, I am bringing Him out to you so that you may know that I find no guilt in Him." **5** Jesus then came out, wearing the crown of thorns and the purple robe. *Pilate* *said* to them, "Behold, the Man!"