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Meet our alderman candidates!

The City of Long Beach is governed by the Mayor and seven Aldermen. Elections are held every four years for Mayor, as well as six aldermen elected to represent their respective wards, and one Alderman elected at-large. Our alderman candidates this election are:

Ward 1

Robert E. Kennedy
Ron Robertson

Ward 2

Bernie Parker
John M. Ruth
Shane Walker

Ward 3

Kelly Griffin
Stan Snodgrass

Ward 4

David Braud Sr.
Timothy Gene McCaffrey, Jr.

Ward 5

Mark E. Lishen

Ward 6

Tricia Bennett
James Rodney Johnson

At Large

Donald Frazer

OAKS Member of the Month

Our Member of the month for April is Barbara Barlow.

Barbara has been a member of the church since 1987. She has recently moved to Seashore Highlands, and will be greatly missed.

Her new address is:

Seashore Highlands,
12170 Highlands Way,
Gulfport, MS 39503
(228) 832-7024 Room 108



April Financial Report

Bank Balance: \$136.00
Cash on hand: \$93.36
Bills presented: \$9.80 for stamps

THANK YOU to:

NORMAN DILLEY for bringing us the Thought for the Day.

SHARON PIERCE for providing the table decorations and door prizes.

BETSY BULLARD and SHARON PIERCE for heading up our kitchen help.



PRAY FOR

**Shorty and Sharon Haulk
Wayne and Floss Roberts
Peggy Rowell**

**Barbara Barlow and Lois Jones as
they move into their new residences**



May Birthdays

May 15: Robert Simpson
May 17: Floss Roberts
May 20: Rena Krol
May 21: Melissa McClellan
May 21: Richard Gingles
May 24: Lois Jones
May 29: Donald Dana



*Seashore Highlands Tour
May 18th
Meet at the church at 9:45 am.
Lunch in the cafeteria at Seashore
\$7.50 each - cash only*

MY JOBS - a punny look at my work history

Volunteer of the Year

This is volunteer recognition month, and no one exemplifies the true spirit of volunteerism better than Glenda Hull. As soon as she and her husband, Terry, joined our community she went work. Just to give you an idea of some of the ways she serves:

- She is on the Hostessing committee.
- She is an officer in OAKS.
- She is a member of UMW.
- She teaches Sunday School.
- She is involved in Ladies Bible Study.
- She and her husband, Terry, started "Open Table" - a group that feeds and cares for the homeless one Saturday a month.
- She purchases the items for the "New Baby Basket".
- Any time something needs to be done, Glenda immediately says, "I'll do it."

Thank you, Glenda, for the shining example you are to all of us. God Bless You!!

I managed to get a good job working for a pool maintenance company, but the work was just too draining.

I then became a commercial fisherman, but discovered that I couldn't live on my net income.

My last job was working at Starbucks, but I finally quit because it was always the same old grind.

You got any ideas? I'm open to suggestions. Maybe you have something that WORKS ... because I don't.