## **Crawfish Boil**

Saturday, April 18
Shoreacres' Circle Park

For Information Call 713.299.2607

Shoreacres Water Department LOL Shoreacres Blvd. Shoreacres TX 77571-7262



# Shoreacres Shorts

#### **April 2009**

### Mission on the Bay

St. John's Episcopal church volunteers were in Shoreacres the first Saturday in April. St. John's Father Mike and others have formulated an outreach program to help local citizens get back to some sort of normalcy.

Mission on the Bay (MOB) is looking for two things: First and foremost, people who need help. It's been seven months and there are still homes in dire need of attention. If you are having trouble dealing with the huge task of rebuilding your life, don't feel like you are alone. MOB has volunteers willing to do a little or a lot to help. For example: sheet rocking, painting, flooring, yard clean-up & just cleaning up.

The first and sometimes hardest step is asking for help. I know, I am guilty. I had a hard time asking my friends for help, but honestly we can't do it alone. You can't do it alone. All you have to do is fill out a short survey available at City Hall, St. John's; Laverne's or call 281-471-0383. It's just that easy. Make the call for yourself or for the neighbor whose pride may be getting in the way of them getting the help they need.

Father Mike told me there were 21 projects set to go in Shoreacres. That leads us to the other MOB need: Volunteers. One hundred volunteers worked in our city last Saturday. They met in the morning at the church, divided into workgroups and hit the streets. Other volunteers made lunches and

delivered them to the workers. Those volunteers went home a little sore Saturday night but their hearts were shining brightly. If you have the time on Saturdays, this volunteer opportunity will be very rewarding. Again all you have to do is call Father Mike at 281-471-0383 to signup.

## City Elections - Saturday, May 9th

Citizens of Shoreacres will elect three at-large aldermen at the polls on Saturday, May 9<sup>th</sup>.

Election Day voting will take place at City Hall, 601 Shoreacres Blvd. from 7am until 7pm.

Early voting will take place at City Hall:

Monday	April 27	7:30am to 5:30pm
Tuesday,	April 28	7:30am to 5:30pm
Wednesday	April 29	7:00am to 7:00pm
Thursday	April 30	7:30am to 5:30pm
Friday	May 1	7:30am to 12:00n
Monday	May 4	7:30am to 5:30pm
Tuesday	May 5	7:00am to 7:00pm

City candidates appearing on the ballot are:

- Dana Woodruff
- Sara E. Andrews
- Nancy J. Schnell
- David Jennings
- Richard Adams
- Dolly Arons