

April 15, 2024

Dear Parishioner,

Happy Tax Day! I suppose many people don't consider paying taxes a "happy" thing, but the taxes do pay for the services necessary to maintain a happy community. So, by extension, taxes can be seen as a "happy" thing.

Congratulations to our 63 parishioners who received the Sacrament of Confirmation here last Friday evening. In the old days, the Confirming bishop would lightly "slap" the recipients as they received the sacrament as a reminder that they may have to suffer for their faith in the future. The fact that you all sat patiently through that **45-minute homily** is proof to me that you are worthy of the sacrament!

Our Gentlemen's Dinner is coming up next week on Thursday, April 25<sup>th</sup>, at 6:00pm at the Hard Rock Casino. Please support this important event for our school. We are also raffling off a golf car at the event. Tickets will again be sold after masses this coming weekend. You need not be present to win.

Today is a good day to show your love for God by your love for one another. It does a body (and soul!) a heap of good!

Keep safe.

Devotedly,  
Fr. Michael Grady