

All Around Arndt's - October 15, 2024

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Arndt's Halloween Trunk or Treat moved to St. Paul's Third

Arndt's "Trunk or Treat" has been canceled and we are joining the "Trunk or Treat" being held at St. Paul's Third Lutheran Church, 2561 Newburg Road in Palmer Township. It is being held on Saturday, October 26th, from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. Everyone from Arndt's is welcome to attend the event at St. Paul's.

This decision was made due to the fact that we only had one car signed up for the Trunk or Treating and we did not have enough other helpers for our event. If you're making a last-minute decision and want to decorate your car, you are welcome to join the Trunk or Treat at St. Paul's.

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Attendance and Offering:

October 13, 2024: Attendance – 43 Offering - \$1,691.00

Stewardship Snippets: October 20, 2024: (Twenty-second Sunday after Pentecost)

Jesus called them and said to them, "You know that among the Gentiles those whom they recognize as their rulers lord it over them, and their great ones are tyrants over them. But it is not so among you; but whoever wishes to become great among you must be your servant, and whoever wishes to be first among you must be slave of all." **Mark 10:42-44**

Jesus gives us a reality that's topsy-turvy from what we know! We achieve greatness by serving others? Why is this so hard? What kind of heart-transformation does it require?

Let us pray for families of Arndt's:

Brandon, Cassandra, Colton and Gianna Mazzie; David and Michelle Mazzie; David, Kelli, Emmett, Natalie and Hallie Mazzie; Matt, Courtney, Mira and Asher Mazzie; Christopher Mertz; Charlie Miller; Dorothy Millheim; Jamie Navone; John, Cindy and John Navone; Andrea Odom.

Announcements and Reminders

Reminder About Covid-19: There has been a recent resurgence of Covid-19 infections in the community. The CDC recommends that all people use core prevention strategies to protect themselves and others from Covid-19, as follows:

- Stay up to date with Covid-19 vaccines
- Practice good hygiene
- When you are sick, use precautions to prevent spread, including staying home and away from others if you have respiratory symptoms.
- Seek health care promptly for testing and/or treatment if you have risk factors for severe illness. Treatment needs to be started within a few days of when your symptoms begin.
- Wearing a mask and putting distance between yourself and others can help lower the risk of transmission.

Thank you for being responsible and considerate with regard to Covid-19 prevention strategies.

Boscov's Friends Helping Friends Day: Don't forget to get your Boscov's Shopping Pass for the annual Boscov's Friends Helping Friends Day, which is next Tuesday, October 22nd. A \$5 donation to the church will get you a Boscov's Shopping Pass that gives you a 25% discount on most purchases you make (some exclusions apply and there are some lower percentage discounts in select departments). The church keeps 100% of the \$5 donation. You can shop all day, 8:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m., in-store at all Boscov locations and also online. This is a good day to begin your holiday shopping.

Please see Rawlynn Wood this Sunday to make your \$5 donation and receive your Shopping Pass. You may also contact the church office during the week to pick up a Shopping Pass.

Pork & Sauerkraut Dinner - *Take Out Only* -

This year's Pork & Sauerkraut Dinner will be held on **Friday, November 8, 2024**. This is a take-out dinner and pick-up time will be from 5:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m. The menu will include pork and sauerkraut, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, applesauce and dessert. Cost is \$12 for adults and \$6 for children. Use the meal reservation form included in AAA to reserve your meals or call the church office to reserve your meals. Reservation deadline is Nov. 3rd. There will be sign-up sheets in the narthex this week for opportunities to help with the dinner. Please sign up if you are able.

Worship Minister Volunteers: We are always looking for new people to help as worship ministers: lectors, ushers or greeter, assistant ministers, acolytes, and altar guild personnel. Please take time to look over the signup sheet on the clipboard in the narthex and add your name where you would like to help. Training is available, if needed.

Backpack Pals Program: Arndt's Church continues to collect applesauce packs for the Backpack Pals program—either the 4-cup or 6-cup packages, unsweetened preferred. There is a bin in the narthex for donations. We thank you for your continued support of this community project.

Church Calendar on Arndt's Website: For up-to-date information on dates and times of services and activities at the church, check out the 'Calendar' tab on the Arndt's website, www.arndtslutheranchurch.org.

Gift Card Program: Support the church by purchasing gift cards through the RaiseRight Gift Card Program (formerly SCRIP). This fundraiser helps support our church financially and also helps provide services to our community. Questions: Call Denis Burns at 610-216-9539. Check out the Bonus Fest Flyer for October weekend special discounts that the church can earn.

Arndt's Weekly Calendar

Tuesday, Oct. 15, 2024: Open Arms Senior Connection, 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Tuesday, Oct. 15, 2024: Boy Scout Meeting, 7:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.

Wednesday, Oct. 16, 2024: Country Line Dancing Class, 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.
Contact Barbara Willett: 610-253-7382

Thursday, Oct. 17, 2024: Open Arms Senior Connection, 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Thursday, Oct. 17, 2024: **No Bible Study this week.** Watch for information about discussion on "The Shack" for next week's bible study.

Sunday, Oct. 20, 2024: Church Council Meeting, 9:00 a.m.

Sunday, Oct. 20, 2024: Children's Sunday School, ages 3 through grade 6, 9:00 a.m.

Sunday, Oct. 20, 2024: Service of Holy Communion – Twenty-second Sunday after Pentecost, 10:30 a.m.

Sunday, Oct. 20, 2024: Cub Scout Den Meetings 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m., Pavilion and Fellowship Hall

Looking Ahead

Wednesday, Oct. 23, 2024: Arndt's Book Club at Country Meadows Forks, 10:30 a.m.

Thursday, Oct. 24, 2024: Special Bible Study Night at the church, 6:30 p.m.
Discussion topic: "The Shack"

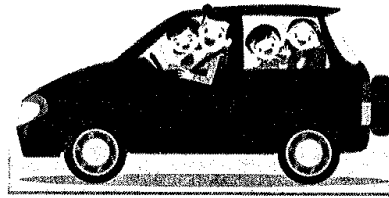
Sunday, Oct. 27, 2024: "Reformation Repast" Covered Dish Luncheon after worship.

Thursday, Oct. 31, 2024: Miniature Golfing at Mountain View Family Drive-In, 602 Jacobsburg Road, Nazareth, at 6:00 p.m.
Halloween costumes optional.

Wednesday, Nov. 6, 2024: Mission District "Town Hall Chew & Chat", 5:30 – 8:00 p.m., hosted at Arndt's Lutheran Church

Friday, Nov. 8, 2024: Take-out Pork & Sauerkraut Dinner, Reservations Only

*Take Out
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Arndt's Lutheran Church

Pork & Sauerkraut Dinner

Individual Meals Ready for Pick-up

Pork & Sauerkraut, Mashed Potatoes, Gravy, Green Beans, Applesauce, Dessert

Friday, November 8, 2024

ADULTS: \$12.00 CHILDREN: \$6.00

CHILDREN UNDER 5: Free

Meal pick up time: 5:00 – 6:30 p.m.

Pick up location:

Arndt's Lutheran Church

1851 Arndt Road, Easton, PA 18040

To reserve meals, drop off or mail completed form and payment to:

Arndt's Lutheran Church, 1851 Arndt Road, Easton PA 18040

Reservation Deadline: November 3rd

____ Adult meals at \$12 each ____ Children meals at \$6 each

Take Out ____ Children under 5 years FREE

by Name: _____

Reservation Only Phone: _____

Amount enclosed: _____