

All Around Arndt's - March 24, 2025

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Attendance and Offering:

March 23, 2025 Attendance - 58 Offering - \$1,568.00

Stewardship Snippets: March 30, 2025: (Lent 4)

“And the younger of them said to his father, ‘Father, give me the share of property that is coming to me.’ And he divided his property between them.” Luke 15:12

This prodigal son only sees the father as a source of wealth. "Give me my inheritance now!" he says, which is really to say, "You are better off dead in my eyes." This is the sin at the heart of all greed: valuing things over people. This parable calls us to come to our senses as well, and to see God as the loving Giver of all good, the true Father to be valued above and beyond all the things of this world.

Let us pray for families of Arndt's:

Marjorie Frace; Peg Freeman; Mary Grube; Karen and Bill Frye; Adam, Tiffany and Anna Gary; Don and Debbie Gebhardt; Marianne Gehris; Robert and Janet Gruninger; Mike, Becky, Aidan, Cathleen and Abigail Haffner; Lorraine Hammerstone.

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RaiseRight Gift Cards:



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RaiseRight offers gift cards for restaurants and businesses that most of us frequent. When you purchase a gift card, Arndt's receives a percentage of the sale and you have the convenience of paying with either an ecard (on your phone) or physical card. WIN! WIN! Thank you for supporting this ongoing fundraiser at Arndt's.

You can **create an account at RaiseRight.com to order e-cards or physical cards easily online** or use the printed order form found in the Narthex and on our church website. If you choose to use the printed form, submit it to Denis Burns, along with your check made payable to Arndt's Lutheran Church. Questions? Contact Denis Burns at 610-216-9539.

Announcements and Reminders

Take-out Lasagna Dinner Pick-up: Remember to pick up your pre-ordered lasagna dinners this Saturday, March 29th, between 5:00 p.m. and 6:30 p.m.

Associate Memberships to Thrivent: Associate memberships to Thrivent are still available. For \$19.95, you may become an associate member for one year which entitles you to lead one Action Team project and secure a VISA gift card worth \$250 to help fund the project. We will need some associate members to carry out all that we hope to do this year. It is an easy process to complete online to become an associate member. Contact Janet Herr, 610-762-0359, for more information.

Easter Candy Donations: We are asking for donations of individually wrapped candies small enough to fit inside a plastic for the annual Arndt's Easter Egg Hunt on April 19th. Please bring your candy donations to the church on or before Sunday, April 13th, and place them in the box marked for "Easter Candy". Thank you for your help.

Annual Easter Egg Hunt: The annual Arndt's Easter Egg Hunt will be held on Saturday, April 19th, at 2:00 p.m. SHARP, for children ages 0-10. Please invite the children of your family, friends and neighbors to participate

Year-End Giving Statements: Arndt's Church giving statements for 2024 are available if you would like a copy for income tax purposes. Please sign the "2024 Giving Statement" list in the narthex and your statement will be printed for you.

Offering Envelopes for 2025: Offering envelopes for 2025 are available to pick up at church in the narthex.

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 and thank you to Linda Kleppinger for delivering our donations each month.

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.arndtslugheranchurch.org.

Mid-Week Lenten Services

Our joint midweek Lenten soup suppers and services begin this week. Each Wednesday during Lent we will join together at 6:00 for a supper of soup, bread and dessert, followed by a worship service at 7:00 p.m. The schedule is as follows:

This Week

March 26

Arndt's Lutheran Church
1851 Arndt Road, Forks Township

April 2

United Fellowship Lutheran Church
2115 Washington Boulevard, Wilson Borough

April 9

St. Andrew's Lutheran Church
3900 Freemansburg Avenue, Palmer Township

Please join us as we journey together through Lent to Holy Week

Arndt's Weekly Calendar

- Tuesday, March 25, 2025:** Open Arms Senior Connection, 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
- Tuesday, March 25, 2025:** Boy Scout Meeting, 7:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.
- Wednesday, March 26, 2025:** Arndt's Book Club at Country Meadows- Forks, 10:30 a.m.
- Wednesday, March 26, 2025:** Country Line Dancing Class, 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon
Barbara Willett, Instructor – 610-253-7382 – *New Time*
- Wednesday, March 2, 2025:** Midweek Lent Soup Supper (6:00 p.m.) and Worship Service (7:00 p.m.) at Arndt's
- Thursday, March 27, 2025:** Open Arms Senior Connection 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
- Thursday, March 27, 2025:** Bible Study on Zoom at 7:00 p.m.

Jean Huber is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: Bible Study

Time: Feb 20, 2025 7:00 p.m. and every week on Thu, until Apr 3, 2025, 7 occurrences

Join Zoom Meeting by Computer:

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/85093012852?pwd=jTRm8gpzIKNE0hEaCmhBBkzualiMki.1>

Meeting ID: 850 9301 2852 - Passcode: 760450

Join Zoom Meeting by Phone:

+1 253 215 8782

Meeting ID: 850 9301 2852 - Passcode: 760450

Friday, March 28, 2025:

Kitchen set-up and prep for Lasagna Dinner, 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon

Saturday, March 29, 2025:

Take-out Lasagna Dinner, 9:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m. – Preparation and packing

Take-out dinner pick-up time – 5:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

Sunday, March 30, 2025:

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

Sunday, March 30, 2025:

Service of Holy Communion – Fourth Sunday in Lent 10:30 a.m.

Looking Ahead

Saturday, April 5, 2025:

First Holy Communion Instruction, 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

EASTER PLANT ORDER FORM - 2025

Name _____

Phone _____

<u>Plant</u>	<u>Quantity</u>	<u>Cost</u>	<u>Total</u>
Pink Tulips	_____	\$8.00	_____
Red Tulips	_____	\$8.00	_____
Yellow Tulips	_____	\$8.00	_____
Purple Tulips	_____	\$8.00	_____
White Tulips	_____	\$8.00	_____
Daffodils (Regular)	_____	\$8.00	_____

(All plants are 6" pots)

Total Paid \$ _____

Make Checks Payable to "Arndt's Lutheran Church". (Payment due with order)

Dedication for the Easter Sunday Bulletin

**Payment and orders due by
Wednesday, April 9th**

Plants may be picked up after the 10:30 service on Easter Sunday.

