

## **All Around Arndt's - October 6, 2025**

**Arndt's Lutheran Church**  
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### **Attendance and Offering:**

**October 5, 2025**

**Attendance - 41**

**Offering - \$1,831.00**

### **Let us pray for families of Arndt's:**

Karen and Bill Frye; Adam, Tiffany, Brody and Anna Gary; Don and Debbie Gebhardt; Marianne Gehris; Robert and Janet Gruninger; Mike, Becky, Aidan, Cathleen and Abigail Haffner; Lorraine Hammerstone; Louise Hawk; Janet Heller; Logie Heller.

## **Announcements and Reminders**

**Book Discussion:** We will begin our conversation on the book, "Hear Us Out" on Sunday, October 12<sup>th</sup>, immediately following worship, with discussion of Chapter 1, "*The Story of Our Lives*".

**Annual Fall Women's Retreat:** The annual Fall Women's Retreat will be held on Saturday, October 18, 2025, at Country Meadows Bethlehem, 4011 Green Pond Road, Building #2, Bethlehem, from 8:30 a.m. – 12:00 noon. A breakfast buffet of eggs, potatoes, meat, fruit and bagels will be served from 8:30 – 9:00 a.m. and beverages will be available throughout the morning.

This year's Guest Speaker will be The Rev. Sue Koenig, Pastor of First Moravian Church, Easton and Director of Racial Justice and Healing for the Moravian Church Northern Province. Her presentation, entitled "Holding on to Infinite Hope in The Work of Racial Justice and Healing", will address questions such as "What does God require of us and of the church 'in such a time as this?' What steps and initiatives are available for individuals and congregations to address injustice and the suffering, pain and trauma it causes? How do we hold on to 'infinite hope' when we experience 'finite disappointment?'"

A fee of \$10 will go toward the purchase of material to make fleece throw blankets for this year's service project. We will also be collecting female personal care products such as shampoo, tampons, pads, clean wipes, deodorant, soap, lotion, hair products, etc.

Ladies, please invite your family and friends to participate in this opportunity of fellowship, learning, understanding and service. All are welcome.

**Flu Shot Clinic:** Open Arms will be holding a Flu Shot Clinic on Tuesday, October 21st, from 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Along with the flu shot, you may also elect to receive the most recent Covid Booster and the RSV vaccine. There is a sign-up sheet in the narthex - - no appointment to make, just sign the sheet, indicate what shots you would like to receive, and come to the church between the hours of 11:00 and 1:00 on October 21<sup>st</sup> to receive your shots. Shots are FREE for those with Medicare—just show your Medicare card. If you have any questions, please call Open Arms Director Pattie Corcoran at 610-533-7842.

**Boscov's Friends Helping Friends Day:** You can help Arndt's Church when shopping . . . the annual Boscov's Friends Helping Friends Day is Wednesday, October 22, 2024. By making a \$5 donation to the church, you will receive a 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. 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 on Sunday mornings 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.

**Game Night at Arndt's Church:** We will hold a Game Night on Friday, October 24<sup>th</sup>, at 6:00 p.m., at the church. We will begin with a Potluck Supper, followed by game playing. Bring your favorite board games to play and snacks (if you like).

**Trunk or Treat Event:** We will hold our annual Trunk or Treat event on Saturday, October 25<sup>th</sup>, from 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. Children are invited to "trick or treat" in the parking lot and participate in some Halloween activities in the pavilion. **We are looking for volunteers to decorate their cars and hand out treats to the children participating. Please call the church office if you can help out by decorating your car and handing out treats.**

**Lawn Social Planning Meeting – All Are Welcome:** You recently received a mailing announcing the 200<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Arndt's Lutheran Church. In that mailing, you received a magnet listing dates of the special events occurring on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of each month in 2026.

On Sunday, June 21, 2026, we will host a Lawn Social on the church property. We'd like to recreate the memory of past Arndt's lawn socials as we celebrate our church's milestone.

We hope you will share your ideas and memories of previous lawn socials on Monday, October 27<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. in Fellowship Hall.

Please sign up in the Narthex. Looking forward to seeing you there.

**Bethlehem-Easton Mission District Christmas Ingathering:** This year, instead of individual churches collecting specific items for the Christmas Ingathering, congregations are being asked to donate funds. There is a container in the back of the church for donations for the 2025 Christmas Ingathering. Please consider making a donation to this important community project, either cash or check (make checks payable to "Arndt's Lutheran Church). We will be receiving donations through Sunday, November 16<sup>th</sup>. Thank you for your support of this annual Mission District project.

**Pork & Sauerkraut Dinner** - *Take Out Only* -

This year's Pork & Sauerkraut Dinner will be held on **Saturday, November 1, 2025**. 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, carrots, applesauce and dessert. Cost is \$12 for adults and \$6 for children. To reserve your meals, use the meal reservation form included in AAA or call the church office. Reservation deadline is Oct. 28<sup>th</sup>.

Watch for sign-up sheets for opportunities to help with the dinner.

**Worship Minister Volunteers:** Worship Minister volunteers are always needed to assist during worship on a Sunday morning. If you would like to volunteer to be a lector, assistant minister or usher, please sign the sign-up sheets on the bulletin board in the coat room area. Thank you for your willingness to serve.

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

*New* **Arndt's Website now has photos!** I am now posting pictures of Arndt's events.

Please take time to view our updated website [www.arndtslutheranchurch.org](http://www.arndtslutheranchurch.org). If trying to view photos from your smartphone click on the menu button with 3 lines in the upper left corner of the home page. Photos may be sent to Denis Burns at [dkburns@outlook.com](mailto:dkburns@outlook.com) Enjoy!

**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](http://www.arndtslutheranchurch.org).

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**200<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Arndt's Lutheran Church:** August 14, 2026, marks the 200<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Arndt's Lutheran Church. In celebration of this milestone, we are planning a year of monthly events beginning in January. By now, you have probably received a letter in the mail with information about the year's activities.

In preparation for this celebration, we are looking for photographs and other memorabilia about Arndt's and our church community. If you can lend us photos from years gone by, we would appreciate it. All photos will be returned. Please put your name, address, and phone number on the back of each photo. Photos may be placed in the labeled box on the counter in the Narthex.

We hope you will help us make 2026 a very special year for Arndt's Lutheran Church and our Community.



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### **Arndt's Weekly Calendar**

<b><u>Tuesday, Oct. 7, 2025:</u></b>	Open Arms Senior Connection. 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
<b><u>Tuesday, Oct. 7, 2025:</u></b>	Boy Scout Meeting, 7:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.
<b><u>Wednesday, Oct. 8, 2025:</u></b>	Country Line Dancing Class, 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon Barbara Willett, Instructor – 610-253-7382
<b><u>Thursday, Oct. 9, 2025:</u></b>	Open Arms Senior Connection. 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
<b><u>Sunday, Oct. 12, 2025:</u></b>	Confirmation Class, 9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.
<b><u>Sunday, Oct. 12, 2025:</u></b>	Children's Sunday School, 9:00 a.m.
<b><u>Sunday, Oct. 12, 2025:</u></b>	Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost, Healing Service - Service of Holy Communion, 10:30 a.m.

### **Save the Date**

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<b><u>Saturday, November 1, 2025:</u></b>	Take-out Pork & Sauerkraut Dinner

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Arndt's Lutheran Church

## *Pork & Sauerkraut Dinner*

Individual Meals Ready for Pick-up

*Pork & Sauerkraut, Mashed Potatoes, Gravy, Carrots, Applesauce, Dessert*

Saturday, November 1, 2025

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: October 28<sup>th</sup>**

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

\_\_\_\_ Children under 5 years FREE

*Take Out*

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*Reservation Only*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Amount enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_