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### ENJOY YOUR STAY AT THE VENTRAY KITCHEN

#### **BASIC BAKING**

Classic Butter Croissant Simple Dinner Rolls Sour Cream Pie Crust Fluffy Pumpkin Pancake

**CAKES** Marble Chocolate Banana Cake

Red Velvet Cake Eggnog White Chocolate Cake

**DESSERT** Fudge Brownie Coconut Macaroons Madeleines

**COOKIES** Matcha Green Tea Butter Cookies Cranberry Chocolate Chip Macada Lemon Lavender Shortbread

**FROSTING 101** Buttercream Frosting Chocolate buttercream Frosting Cream Cheese Frosting

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This all time favorite buttery croissant recipe is perfect for breakfast. Enjoy it over coffee or tea.

#### INGREDIENTS

500g all purpose flour 140g water 55g sugar 40g soft unsalted butter 11g instant yeast 12g salt 280g cold butter for lamination 1 egg and 1 tsp water for egg wash

#### EQUIPMENTS

Baking tray Parchment paper Pizza wheel

#### DIRECTIONS

- 1. Combine all ingredients in **Ventray Stand Mixer mixing bowl**, attach with **a dough hook**, blend using low medium speed until moderate gluten development. Do not over blend.
- 2. Shape the dough in a ball, then roll it into a disc shape. Cover and refrigerate for at least 2 hrs.
- 3. Roll your dough into a long narrow strip 10 by 15 inch rectangle, Use a grater, shred cold butter into the center of the dough square, fold the four corners inward.
- 4. Flip dough over, roll the dough flat with a rolling pin. Fold dough letter style, cover with plastic wrap and refrigerate for 30 minutes. Continue this folding process for 2 more times.
- 5. Cut using pizza wheel into rectangles and roll it into croissant triangles.
- 6. Cover loosely with plastic wrap and let stand in a warm place until croissants have doubled in size and very soft.

#### OVEN DIRECTIONS

- 1. Preheat oven to 400°F, brush top of croissant with egg wash.
- 2. Bake until croissants puff and golden brown (for about 20 minutes).



Classic BUTTER CROISSANT Make these soft, small, round bread, baked fresh right in your kitchen.

#### INGREDIENTS

1 package regular or fast-acting dry yeast (2½ tsp)

2 1/2 cups of all purpose flour, more if needed

2 tbsp of sugar

¹⁄₂ tsp of salt

<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> cup of milk

<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> cup of water

2 tbsp of butter

1 large egg

#### DIRECTIONS

- 1. Add <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> cup of flour, undissolved yeast, sugar, and salt in **Ventray Stand Mixer mixing bowl**.
- 2. Heat milk, water, and butter until very warm (120°F) you can microwave at high speed for 10-20 seconds.
- 3. Add liquid mixture and eggs to the flour, beat with a flat beater at speed 2 for 1 minute, increase to speed 3 gradually, and continue to beat for 1 minute.
- 4. Scrap bowl, and change attachment to **the dough hook**.
- 5. Add <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> cup of flour, beat for 2 minutes at speed 4, and continuously add in the remaining flour until the dough completely mixed and soft.

#### **OVEN DIRECTIONS**

- 1. Pre-heat oven to 375°F.
- 2. Divide dough into 12 equal pieces, shape into balls. Place on greased 8-inch pan, cover and let rise in warm draft-free place for 25-30 minutes, until their size doubled.
- 3. Bake for 20-25 minutes until golden, brush additional melted butter on top.
- 4. Remove from pan and serve.

### Simple DINNER ROLLS

Tired of your traditional pie crust? This is our favorite flaky pie crust perfect for apple pie, peach cobblers.

#### INGREDIENTS

2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> cups all purpose flour; plus extra for dusting/rolling 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> cup (10oz) unsalted butter at room temperature cut into cubes 1 tsp salt

1/3 cup sugar

2/3 cup full fat sour cream

Cold water as needed

#### EQUIPMENTS

Rolling pin

Pie dish

#### DIRECTIONS

- 1. In Ventray Stand Mixer mixing bowl, combine flour, sea salt; add <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> cup butter, use the whisk to beat until butter divided into pea size, repeat this step until butter is all divided into small pea size pieces.
- 2. Add sugar into sour cream, stir until sugar is dissolved.
- 3. Drizzle sour cream into flour mixture beat at low speed.
- 4. Add cold water 1 tsp at a time until dough forms.
- 5. Divide dough into 2 and wrap in plastic wrap, refrigerate for 1 hour or up to 24 hours.
- 6. Roll dough until 2 inches wider than 9-inch pie plate.
- 7. Using rolling pie to lift and roll pie crust over pie dish.

#### TIPS

A few tips for making pie crust:

- 1. When rolling the pie crust dough, make sure to check that it isn't sticking to the surface, if it is, gently lift it up and sprinkle more flour.
- 2. Press pie crust down to line the pie dish before filling in the pie fillings.
- 3. It might be easier to grate the butter in the first second step, this might be easier to break the butter down evenly.

# SOUR CREAM PIE CRUST

Enjoy this amazing fluffy pancake recipe on a cozy fall or winter morning. Serve fresh with whipped cinnamon butter, maple syrup and roasted nuts.

#### INGREDIENTS

1/3 cup all purpose flour
1/3 cup whole wheat flour
2 tbsp sugar
½ tsp baking powder
½ tsp baking soda
1/3 tsp pumpkin pie spice
¼ tsp ground cinnamon
Pinch of salt
1 large egg
½ cup buttermilk
1/3 cup plain yogurt
¼ cup canned pumpkin
1 tbsp oil
¼ tsp vanilla extract

#### TOPPINGS

Whipped cream Whipped butter

Maple syrup

#### DIRECTIONS

- 1. Whisk together flour, sugar, baking powder, baking soda, pumpkin pie spice, cinnamon and salt in **Ventray Stand Mixer mixing bowl**.
- 2. Turn your **Ventray Stand Mixer** to medium speed, add in egg, milk, yogurt, pumpkin puree, oil and vanilla extract. Mix until well combined.
- 3. Coat your griddle with oil over medium heat, pour in pancake batter, cook until bubbles on top begin to pop, flip pancake over and cook until golden brown.
- 4. Add toppings of your choice.

## Fluffy **PUMPKIN PANCAKE**



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Moist tender, with a rich chocolatey taste, a total upgrade from your classic banana bread.

#### INGREDIENTS

- <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> cup unsalted butter room temperature
- <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> cup canola oil
- 2 cups granulated sugar
- 3 large eggs room temperature
- 2 tsp vanilla
- 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> cup mashed fresh ripe banana
- 3 cups all-purpose flour
- 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> tsp baking soda
- <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> tsp baking powder
- <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> tsp cinnamon and salt
- l cup sour cream room temperature
- 4 oz melted chocolate at room temperature
- Handful of semi-sweet chocolate chips
- lcing sugar

#### DIRECTIONS

- 1. Add butter, oil, sugar into **Ventray Stand Mixer**, beat over medium high speed for 8 minutes or until very light color forms.
- 2. Beat in eggs 1 at a time, then beat in vanilla. Gradually add in banana, scraping down the sides of the bowl and beat until well mixed.
- 3. Whisk together flour, baking soda, baking powder, cinnamon and salt.
- 4. Slowly add in flour mixture into butter mixture, alternating with sour cream.
- 5. Split half of the banana batter, blend in the chocolate mixture into one of the batter and mix well.
- 6. Dollop half of plain batter followed by the chocolate batter, then top it off with plain batter; swirl to create marble texture.

#### **OVEN DIRECTIONS**

- 1. Preheat oven to 350°F, bake for about 35-40mins or until top springs back and tooth pick test comes out clean.
- 2. Remove from oven, let it cool for about 15mins before transferring to rack, sprinkle icing sugar and serve.

#### EQUIPMENTS

Mini muffin loaf pans



### Marble **CHOCOLATE** BANANA CAKE

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The all time party cake, layer with cream cheese frosting, perfect for every celebration.

#### INGREDIENTS

2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> cups of all-purpose flour 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> cups of sugar

1 tsp of baking soda

1 tsp of salt

l tsp cocoa powder

1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> cups of vegetable oil

2 large eggs

1 tsp of vanilla extract

1 cup of buttermilk at room temperature

2 tbsp red food coloring

1 tsp white distilled vinegar

#### DIRECTIONS

- 1. In a large bowl, sift together flour, sugar, baking soda, salt, and cocoa powder.
- 2. In Ventray Stand Mixer's stainless-steel bowl, whisk together oil, buttermilk, eggs, food coloring, vinegar, and vanilla at speed 2.
- 3. Add all remaining dry ingredients into a stainless steel bowl, attach flat beater to Ventray Stand Mixer.
- 4. Mix until batter formed and thickened at speed 2 for 1 minute.

#### **OVEN DIRECTIONS**

- 1. Pre-heat oven to 350°F.
- 2. Lightly coat two 9-inch round cake pans with vegetable oil.
- 3. Divide cake batter evenly in cake pans, place pans in the oven evenly spaced apart.
- 4. Bake for 30 minutes or until the toothpick comes out clean.
- 5. Remove from oven, cool for 10 minutes, remove cake from pan cool on wire rack for another 10-15 minutes.

# RED VELVET CAKE

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The surprising flavor that everyone will enjoy during this holiday season.

#### INGREDIENTS

ltbsp orange zest
4tbsp brandy
3 cups all purpose flour
2 tsp baking powder
½ tsp salt
½ tsp nutmeg
¼ tsp cinnamon
¼ tsp allspice
1 cup unsalted butter
2 cups granulated sugar
5 large eggs room temperature
1 cup eggnog
1 tsp vanilla extract
2-4 tsp brandy for drizzling on the cake (optional)

#### GLAZE

1-2 tbsp orange juice1 tbsp brandy, dark rum1 cup powdered sugar

#### EQUIPMENTS

9-inch bundt pan or 2 of 6-inch round pan (for layer cake)

#### DIRECTIONS

- 1. Soak orange zest in brandy in a small bowl for at least 15minutes.
- 2. In **Ventray Stand Mixer mixing bowl**, whisk together flour, baking powder, salt, nutmeg, cinnamon, allspices.
- 3. Beat butter in **Ventray Stand Mixer** over high speed until creamy, then add in sugar and continue to beat until light and fluffy. Scrapping down two sides occasionally.
- 4. Add one egg at a time, beating a minute in between each addition, then add in vanilla.
- 5. Add dry ingredients alternating with eggnog, fold it into butter mixture with a spatula (begin and end with dry ingredients).
- 6. Add in orange zest and any remaining brandy.
- 7. For the glaze, beat together powdered sugar, orange juice, and brandy until thick.
- 8. Drizzle on the cake.

#### **OVEN DIRECTIONS**

- 1. Preheat oven to 325°F, adjust rack to the lower third, butter inside of a 9-inch bundt pan or two 6-inch round pan (for layer cake).
- 2. Bake for 50 minutes or until the center is set.
- 3. Remove from oven and let it cool on rack completely before decorating.

#### TIPS

- 1. For layered caked, it's best to refrigerate and decorate at a later time.
- 2. You can also make it virgin without the rum or brandy.

# EGGNOG WHITE CHOCOLATE CAKE

Super easy to make, chewy brownie with crunchy nuts, serve with a scoop of vanilla ice cream.

#### INGREDIENTS

#### EQUIPMENTS

Saucepan

1½ cups of all purpose flour
1 cup cocoa
1 cup walnuts
4 large eggs
1 tsp of salt
1 tsp of espresso powder
1 tsp of baking powder
2½ cups of sugar
2 cups unsweetened chocolate broken into pieces
1½ cups of unsalted butter, softened
1 tbsp of vanilla extract

#### DIRECTIONS

- 1. Crack the 4 eggs into **Ventray Stand Mixer mixing bowl**, add cocoa, salt, baking powder, espresso powder, vanilla, then beat with a flat beater at speed 2 for about 1 minute.
- 2. Increase to speed 3, continue beating for about 2-3 minutes
- 3. Meanwhile, melt butter over medium-high heat in a saucepan, add in sugar, and stir.
- 4. Add butter to your egg mixture, and beat at speed 3 until completely smooth.
- 5. Add in flour and chocolate chips beat at speed 3 then increase to speed 4 for at least 2 minutes until all ingredients fully combined.

#### OVEN DIRECTIONS

- 1. Pre-heat oven to 350°F, and lightly grease 13 by 9-inch glass baking pan.
- 2. Spread walnuts on a baking sheet, toast in the oven for 8-10 minutes or until lightly browned. Set aside and let it cool , then fold into batter.
- 3. Spoon batter into pan, bake for 30 minutes or until toothpick comes out clean.
- 4. Brownies should be firm, remove from oven, cool for 30 minutes, cut into squares.
- 5. Serve with vanilla ice cream.

#### TIPS

Add a scoop of ice cream or drizzle with caramel and enjoy this decadent dessert.

# FUDGE BROWNIE

Sweet coconut macaroons are simple, fun to make snacks.

#### INGREDIENTS

14 ounces of sweetened shredded coconut
<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> tsp salt
14 ounces of sweetened condensed milk
1 tsp of pure vanilla extract
2 extra large egg whites at room temperature

#### EQUIPMENTS

Sheet pan Parchment paper

#### DIRECTIONS

- 1. Combine coconut, condensed milk, vanilla extract in a bowl.
- 2. In your **Ventray Stand Mixer mixing bowl**, add egg whites, salt, use wire whisk beat at speed 5 until they make medium-firm peak.
- 3. Carefully add in the coconut, condensed milk, vanilla extract, folded in evenly.

#### OVEN DIRECTIONS

- 1. Pre-heat oven at 325°F.
- 2. Drop the batter onto sheet pans lined with parchment paper using ice cream scoop to scoop out the batter.
- 3. Bake for 25-30 minutes or until golden brown.
- 4. Drizzle or dip in chocolate and let it cool.

#### TIPS

- 1. Bake these cookies as soon as they are combined.
- 2. To drizzle with chocolate simply melt chocolate chips in the microwave.



These small french butter cookies are sweet, super tasty.

#### INGREDIENTS

½ cup butter, room temperature
½ cup granulated sugar
½ cup packed brown sugar
4 eggs
½ cup molasses
1 cup all-purpose flour
1 tsp cinnamon
½ tsp baking powder
¼ salt
¼ tsp baking soda
¼ tsp ground nutmeg
Bean from 1 vanilla bean pod

#### DIRECTIONS

- 1. Combine all dry ingredients, set them aside.
- 2. In **Ventray Stand Mixer**, over medium speed beat butter for 30 seconds. Then gradually add in two sugars, beat until light and fluffy.
- 3. Add in eggs one at a time, beat well, then add in molasses.
- 4. Turn Ventray mixer to low speed, add in the dry ingredients in batches. Fold it into butter mixture.
- 5. Cover and chill the batter in the fridge for 2 hours.

#### OVEN DIRECTIONS

- 1. Preheat oven to 375°F, grease and flour a 24 madeleines mold.
- 2. Bake cookies for 10 12 mins or until edges are golden.
- 3. Cool for 5 mins, then remove and cool completely on wire rack. Sprinkle powdered sugar.



For all the matcha lovers, these green tea cookies are perfect for tea time.

#### INGREDIENTS

2 cups (240g) all purpose flour 2 ½ tsp matcha green tea powder ¾ cup (170g) unsalted butter softened (room temperature) Pinch of salt 2 large egg yolks 1 cup (130g) powdered sugar ¼ - 1/3 cup white chocolate chips or almond chips (optional)

#### EQUIPMENTS

Parchment paper Baking pan

Cooling rack

#### DIRECTIONS

- 1. Add matcha powder to flour, sift it.
- 2. In **Ventray Stand Mixer** with a flat beater attachment, beat butter until completely smooth, over medium speed.
- 3. Add a pinch of salt, and powdered sugar, blend until soft and light, scrap sides of bow.
- 4. Add 2 large egg yolks, mix until well blended.
- 5. Gradually add dry ingredients blend until dough is smooth.
- 6. Add in chocolate chips or almond chips, blend for another 30 seconds.
- 7. Shape dough into a cylinder, wrap with plastic wrap and refrigerate for at least 2 hours.

#### **OVEN DIRECTIONS**

- 1. Preheat oven to 350°F.
- 2. Place parchment paper on baking pan, place cookies about 1-inch apart.
- 3. Bake for 15 minutes or until golden on the edges.
- 4. Remove from oven, cool for 5 minutes, then transfer to cooling rack and let cool completely.



Sour, sweet, nutty, baked fresh, you can't resist for another piece.

#### INGREDIENTS

2 cups all-purpose flour <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> tsp baking soda <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> tsp salt 12 tbsp unsalted butter, room temperature 1 cup light brown sugar <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> cup granulated sugar 1 large eggs 1 large eggs 1 large egg's yolk 2 tsp vanilla extract 1 cup white chocolate chips 1 cup dried cranberries, chopped 1 cup macadamia nuts, chopped

#### DIRECTIONS

- 1. Whisk flour, baking soda, salt together.
- 2. In Ventray Stand Mixer, beat butter, sugars with medium high speed until smooth.
- 3. Add egg and yolk, vanilla while continuously beating, until well combined.
- 4. Reduce speed to low, add in flour mixture, mix until just combined.
- 5. Add chocolate chip, cranberries, macadamia nuts, mix until incorporated.
- 6. Roll dough into balls, space them 2' apart on baking sheet.

#### OVEN DIRECTIONS

- 1. Preheat oven to 325°F, line 2 baking sheets with parchment paper, position oven rack at lower-mid level.
- 2. Bake 1 sheet at a time for about 15-20 minutes, let cookie cool on sheet for 10 minutes, transfer to wire rack and cool completely.

#### TIPS

- 1. This recipe makes about 32 cookies.
- 2. You can choose whichever chocolate chip you prefer.

#### EQUIPMENTS

2 baking sheet Parchment paper

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## CRANBERRY CHOCOLATE CHIP MACADAMIA COOKIES

The floral aroma, light, buttery texture will make this your favorite shortbread recipe.

#### INGREDIENTS

- 2 tsp dried lavender
- 1 tsp lemon zest
- 1 cup salted butter room temperature
- 2/3 cup sugar
- 1 tsp vanilla extract
- 1 vanilla bean pod
- 2 cups all-purpose flour

#### EQUIPMENTS

Baking pan Parchment paper

#### DIRECTIONS

- 1. Add butter, sugar into **Ventray Stand Mixer mixing bowl**, beat lightly. Then add in lavender, lemon zest mix until smooth.
- 2. Add in the vanilla bean from the pod, vanilla extract, mix until fluffy.
- 3. Add in flour and you can blend with a spatula until dough forms. Roll it and wrap with plastic wrap, refrigerate for 10-20minutes before slicing into cookies.
- 4. Cut them into 1/4-inch thick cookies, place them about 1/2 inch apart on a baking tray.

#### OVEN DIRECTIONS

- 1. Preheat oven to 350°F, line baking tray with parchment paper.
- 2. Bake cookies for about 20-25 minutes, until edges are lightly brown.
- 3. Remove from oven, and cool on a rack.

# LEMON LAVENDER SHORTBREAD



#### **BUTTERCREAM FROSTING**

Master this, and you will be ready to decorate your first cake or cupcake.

#### INGREDIENTS

DIRECTIONS

1⁄2 cup of unsalted butter, softened		
1½ tsp vanilla extract		
2 cups confectioners' sugar		
2 tbsp of milk		

#### 1. In **Ventray Stand Mixer**, beat butter at speed 2 with a flat beater until smooth and fluffy.

- 2. Gradually beat in confectioners' sugar until fully incorporated at speed 3.
- 3. Beat in vanilla extract until well mixed.
- 4. Pour in milk, beat for additional 3-4 minutes at speed 4.

#### CHOCOLATE BUTTERCREAM FROSTING

#### Baking 101 the buttercream for all simple cakes.

#### INGREDIENTS

1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> cups of butter, softened 1 cup of unsweetened cocoa 5 cups of confectioners' sugar <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> cup of milk 2 tsp of vanilla extract 1/2 tsp of espresso powder

#### DIRECTIONS

- 1. Add cocoa to **Ventray Stand Mixer Mixing Bowl**, use wire whisk and whisk at speed 1 to remove any lumps.
- 2. Cream together butter, cocoa powder and corn syrup until well combined using speed 2 with the flat beater.
- 3. Add 1 cup of sugar followed by tbsp of milk to the cocoa mixture, beat at speed 4 for 1 minute; repeat this step until all sugar and milk have been added.
- 4. Add vanilla extract, espresso powder, and beat at speed 3 until well combined.

#### **CREAM CHEESE FROSTING**

For any cupcake, red velvet cake, bars and brownie, banana cake.

INGREDIENTS	DIRECTIONS	
	1.	Beat softened butter and cream cheese with a flat beater starting at speed 1 in your <b>Ventray Stand Mixer</b> .
1 package (8oz) cream cheese softened	2.	Increase to speed 3 gradually, beat for 3 minutes, scrape bowl.
3 cups of powdered sugar (add	3.	Once mixture smooth and creamy, add in vanilla extract beat for 1 minute.
more if needed) 1 tsp of vanilla extract	4.	Add in icing sugar in two batches, start mixing with low speed then gradually increase speed. Beat until well mixed.



# **FROSTING 101**

## CHRISTMAS THYME COOKIE

#### INGREDIENTS

2 Lemons – 1 tbsp lemon juice, 2 tsp lemon zest
½ cup butter room temperature
½ cup granulated sugar
1 tbsp fresh snipped thyme
1 ¼ cups all-purpose flour
Green sanding sugar

#### DIRECTIONS

- 1. Preheat oven to 350°F, line baking tray with parchment paper.
- 2. Beat butter on medium speed for 30 seconds, add granulated sugar beat until combined.
- 3. Add in lemon zest, juice, thyme, add and beat in flour gradually, beat until well combined.
- 4. Roll out cookie dough on a floured surface into  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch thick cut with a cookie cutter.
- 5. Bake for 8 minutes or until edges are golden.
- 6. Remove from the oven, cool on the rack, dust with sanding sugar.





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