

Recipes for the Solemnity of Pentecost - May 23

<u>Chicken Salad Sliders</u> from Beth's kitchen

INGREDIENTS*

- 2 3 stalks of celery, finely chopped
- ¼ cup of onion, finely chopped
- Approx. 2 tbs. dill relish (sweet or unsweet, your preference)
- Approx. 2 tbs. chopped green olives
- ¼ cup mustard (whichever type you prefer)
- 1 ½ cups of mayo
- Approx. 3 cups of cooked chicken, finely chopped (rotisserie or KoC chicken is recommended)
- Dinner or Hawaiian rolls

INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. Mix all ingredients together in a bowl, except for the chicken and bread.
- 2. When mixed, stir the chicken into the mixture.
- 3. Spread onto halved dinner or Hawaiian rolls.

7 Layer Dip (for the 7 Gifts of the Spirit) from Beth's kitchen

INGREDIENTS

1 can of refried beans

^{*}These measurements can all be increased or lessened, depending on your personal preference.

- 1 large avocado
- 1 cup sour cream
- 1 cup of shredded lettuce
- 1 cup of chopped, fresh tomato
- 1 cup of shredded cheese (your favorite type)
- ½ cup of chopped black olives
- 3 or 4 whole bell peppers
- Whole celery stalks

INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. Spread the refried beans into the container you plan to serve the dip in.
- 2. Mash or finely chop the avocado. Spread on top of the refried beans.
- 3. Spread the sour cream over the avocado.
- 4. Arrange the lettuce on top of the sour cream.
- 5. Sprinkle the tomato on top of the lettuce.
- 6. Sprinkle the cheese on top of the tomato.
- 7. Slice the bell peppers into strips lengthways, roughly an inch wide.
- 8. Slice the celery stalks into 3" strips.
- 9. Use the celery and bell pepper strips to scoop the 7 Layer Dip.

12 Fruit Salad (for the 12 Fruits of the Spirit) from Beth's kitchen

INGREDIENTS

12 different fruits! Just choose your favorites.

INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. Chop the fruit into bite-sized pieces
- 2. Mix together in a bowl
- 3. Add a dressing, such as Poppyseed dressing, if desired.

Cheesecake with Strawberry "Flames" (for the flames of fire on Pentecost)

INGREDIENTS

• 1 package of cheesecake bites OR 1 plain cheesecake, ungarnished

• 6 or 7 fresh, large strawberries

<u>INSTRUCTIONS</u>

- 1. Cut the leaves and/or stem off the top of each strawberry.
- 2. Carefully slice each strawberry into small strips, cutting from the leaf end. This will result in "flames", as seen in the video.
- 3. Arrange the strawberry "flames" around the cheesecake.

