

# CHICKEN AND PARMESAN STUFFED BREAD











ACTIVE TIME 15 min

TOTAL TIME 2 h

DIFFICULTY easy

SERVINGS 4 portions

#### **INGREDIENTS**

#### Dough

125 g butter, cut in pieces 200 g milk ½ tsp salt 100 g kefalotyri cheese (salty hard cheese), ground 400 g flour 2 tsp baking powder

#### **Tomato sauce**

330 g fresh ripe tomatoes, deseeded, cut in 4
30 g onion, cut in 2
1 clove garlic
10-12 parsley stalks, leaves only
15 g celery stalks, without leaves, cut in pieces
2-3 basil leaves
a few thyme leaves or rosemary leaves
½ tsp salt

#### Filling

115 g Parmesan cheese, cut in pieces
120 g Mozzarella cheese, cut in pieces
350 g tomato sauce or "Eminentia, sauce
70 g tomato paste
220 g chicken breasts, baked or boiled, cut in 2 cm cubes
1 tbsp unsalted butter
1 tsp Italian seasoning
1 tsp garlic powder

### PREPARATION

#### Dough

- 1. Place butter, milk, salt into mixing bowl and heat 2 min/60°C/speed 3.
- Add kefalotyri cheese, flour, baking powder and knead 1 min/dough mode.
   Empty dough into a bowl, cover with kitchen towel and set aside to rise for approximately 30 min. In the meantime, proceed with making the tomato sauce.

#### **Tomato sauce**

- 3. Place tomatoes, onion, garlic, parsley, celery, basil, thyme, salt into mixing bowl and chop **1 min/speed 10**.
- **4.** Place simmering basket in the place of measuring cup and cook **30** min/Varoma/speed **1.** Wash and dry mixing bowl thoroughly.

### **Filling**

- 5. Preheat oven at 170°C. Grease an ovenproof baking paper (40 x 40 cm) and set aside.
- 6. Place parmesan cheese into mixing bowl and grind **10 sec/speed 5**. Empty into a bowl and set aside.
- 7. Place mozzarella cheese into mixing bowl and grind 15 sec/speed 5.
- Add 60 g ground parmesan, tomato sauce, chicken cubes and mix 5 sec/speed 5.
- 9. Using a rolling pin, roll out dough into a rectangle sheet (24 x 35 cm) and place onto prepared baking tray. Cut dough sides into 2 cm width strips, leaving centre of the dough sheet intact (approximately 10 cm). Spread chicken mixture in the centre of the dough sheet (8 cm across). Braid dough strips on top of chicken mixture to cover it completely (see Step-by-Step photos 1, 2 & 3) and set aside.
- 10. Place butter, Italian seasoning, garlic powder into mixing bowl and melt 2 min/70°C /speed 2. Empty into a bowl and coat bread using a pastry brush. Garnish with remaining parmesan and bake in preheated oven (170°C) for 30-35 min. Serve immediately.

### **USEFUL ITEMS**

baking tray baking paper rolling pin pastry brush

## STEP-BY-STEP PHOTOS





