Reader Recipes

Make-Ahead Scrambled Egg Kits

1/4 cup frozen diced potatoes

- potatoes 2 tablespoons frozen bell pepper and onion blend, chopped
- 2 tablespoons chopped ham, cooked sausage, or cooked, crumbled bacon
- 2 tablespoons shredded cheese

Place all ingredients into a zip-top plastic bag and freeze until ready for use. Measurements don't have to be exact. When ready to serve. place the contents of a bag into a microwavesafe coffee cup that has been sprayed with cooking spray. Heat on high for one minute Remove from microwave and stir. Add two eggs and stir well. Heat in microwave in 20 to 30 second increments, stirring each time, until fully cooked, about 2 minutes total time. Season with salt and pepper to taste. Use caution as the eggs and cup will be From Patti Diamond with Divas On A Dime

Bread Pudding Pie

9-in. pie crust 1 1/2 cups bread, cubed

- 2 large eggs 2 cups whole milk
- 3/4 cup sugar
- 1 tsp vanilla extract 1/4 cup molasses
- (optional) 2 teaspoons butter
- 1/4 teaspoons nutmeg

Preheat oven to 425 degrees F. Place the pie crust in a 9-in. pie pan. Arrange the bread cubes evenly over the bottom of the crust. In a large bowl, whisk the eggs, milk, sugar, vanilla, and molasses together. Pour over the bread. Dot the butter over the top and sprinkle with nutmeg. Bake for 10 minutes. then reduce oven temperature to 350 F and continue baking for an additional 45-50 minutes. This pie

whipped cream or ice cream.

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is great served with

Banana Velvet

- 2 cups mashed bananas 1 1/2 cups buttermilk
- 1 cup granulated sugar 1 teaspoon vanilla 9-oz. Cool Whip
- Combine all ingredients, place in freezer safe container and freeze. Serve cold From Suzanna Jones; Illinois Country Living



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ThinOptics are made in Sonoma, Calif., and have a 30-day refund policy. Several styles are available. Prices start around \$16 and vary according to style. Contact: www.thinoptics.com.



Kitchen Cube can reduce clutter by replacing measuring spoons and cups.

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It's ideal for anyone who wants to declutter or has limited cupboard space. Made of FDA-approved unbreakable food-grade material, it's microwave and dishwasher-safe.

The 3D-printed cube was developed by entrepreneurs in Minneapolis, Minn., and is available through The Kitchen Cube website. Retail price is about \$20, though the website offers specials for multiple orders, as well as free shipping and a guarantee.

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For items like couches and beds, FurZapper also sells a Pet Grooming glove that is double-sided with 2,000 soft bristles. The waterproof, allergy-free, hypo-allergenic silicone glove also works for bathing or massaging pets.

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