

WANTED: KAIROS COOKIES

CSP-Sacramento Prison

October 6, 2022 to October 9, 2022



We may need up to 300 dozen cookies for a typical Kairos weekend. Do the math.....that's 3600 cookies!

Homemade cookies in Prison are a rare and tangible expression of Christian love and as indication of God's concern for a group of people who seldom encounter either in the course of their daily lives. Many have said "I came for the cookies ,but found Jesus."

Your loving sacrifice will provide "bread" that shines the Light of God's Grace into the darkest corners of a prison unit. This is a gift of love and compassion in which the entire family can participate. Mom, Dad and the kids.

May God bless you for the gift of baking! You have no idea who your cookies will touch. God does!



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Cookie Guidelines

NO Nuts!

NO Raisins or other dried fruit (Used to make alcohol)

NO Toppings such as sugar, frosting or decorations

NO M&M's or Hershey Kisses

NO Coconut or Poppy Seeds (False Positive for Drugs)

YES To Choc Chips or other flavored Chips (Butterscotch, White Choc. etc.)

Cookies should be **between 2 inches and 2-½ inches in diameter and not more than ½ inch thick.**

Bag thoroughly cooled cookies in a quart sized Zip Lock bag, a dozen cookies to a bag. DO NOT USE THE SLIDER TYPE ZIPLOCK . Label each bag with the cookie type inside. Freeze all cookies if not using within 3 days.

A Mellon Baller works great to get the perfect size: If a dozen do not fit in a quart bag, they are too big. Allow cookies to cool before packaging or they stick together

THE MOST IMPORTANT INGREDIENT: PRAYER!!!

Pray individually or as a family over the ingredients before and during mixing.

Pray over the cookies as you drop them onto the cookie sheets and bake them. Ask God to use your cookies as a source of His love to shine on the prisoners and staff on the Kairos weekend. Pray that each cookie brings the inmate, officer or warden who eats it closer to God. We want every person to become part of the family of God.

Cookie recipes

Chewy Oatmeal $\frac{3}{4}$ cup butter flavor Crisco. 1- $\frac{1}{4}$ cup firmly packed brown sugar. 1 egg. $\frac{1}{3}$ cup milk. 1- $\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoon vanilla. 3 cups quick cooking oats. 1 cup all purpose flour. $\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoon salt. $\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoon baking soda. $\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoon cinnamon.

Combine Crisco, brown sugar, egg, milk and vanilla in a large bowl. Mix at medium speed until well blended. Combine oats, flour, salt, baking soda and cinnamon in a separate bowl, mix well. Add to Crisco/sugar mixture until just blended. Drop rounded tablespoons of dough onto cookie sheet. Bake at 375 degrees for 10 to 12 minutes or until lightly browned. Makes 2-1/2 dozen cookies. Be sure to include Prayer!!

Chocolate chip $\frac{3}{4}$ cup Crisco shortening. 1- $\frac{1}{4}$ cup firmly packed brown sugar. 2 tablespoons milk. 1 teaspoon vanilla. 1 egg. 1- $\frac{3}{4}$ cup all purpose flour 1 teaspoon salt. $\frac{3}{4}$ teaspoon baking soda 1 cup semi-sweet chocolate chips

Combine shortening, sugar, milk and vanilla in a large bowl, mix until well blended. Add egg and mix well. In a separate bowl combine flour, salt and baking soda, mix well. Add to shortening/sugar mixture until well blended. Stir in chocolate chips. Drop by rounded tablespoon onto ungreased cookie sheet. Bake at 375 degrees for 8 to 10 minutes for chewy cookies or 11 to 13 minutes for crisp cookies. Makes 3 dozen cookies.

Peanut Butter 3/4 cup Creamy Peanut Butter. 1/2 cup Crisco Shortening. 1- $\frac{1}{4}$ cup firmly packed brown sugar. 3 tablespoons milk. 1 teaspoon vanilla. 1 egg. 1- $\frac{3}{4}$ cup all purpose flour. 3/4 teaspoon salt. 3/4 teaspoon baking soda.

Combine peanut butter, shortening, sugar, milk and vanilla in a large bowl and mix at medium speed until well blended. Add egg and mix well. In a separate bowl combine flour, salt and baking soda, mix well. Add flour mixture to peanut butter and mix until just blended. Drop by heaping teaspoons onto ungreased cookie sheet and flatten slightly in a crisscross pattern with the tines of a fork. Bake at 375 degrees for 7 to 8 minutes until set. Makes 3 dozen cookies.

You may use other recipes. But please adhere to size and ingredient restrictions or the Prison security will reject them.