

BigFish Recipe™ Baked Salmon & Tomato Pie with salad

All-butter puff pastry is perfect for this recipe but you can use shortcrust if you prefer, whatever you have in the freezer! It makes a lovely large fish pie that's perfect for mid-week meals.

Preparation time: 10 minutes
Cooking time: 30 minutes

Serves: 6

<u>Ingredients</u>

4 BigFish plain or Organic salmon portions
500g frozen puff pastry, thawed (but keep cool)
400g fresh tomatoes – ideally a colourful selection such as mixed cherry tomatoes
1 tsp capers
30g fresh dill, chopped
A bag of washed salad leaves eg. rocket, baby leaf or spinach mix
1 egg – mixed with a little milk to make an egg wash
Seasoning – freshly ground black pepper and sea salt
A little olive oil, for drizzling

Method

- 1. Pre-heat the oven to 200°C or Gas Mark 6.
- 2. Roll out the pastry to make a large sheet, placing it in the middle of a non-stick baking tray.
- 3. Heat a dry frying pan and then lightly fry the salmon portions, skin side down, just for around a minute so that the skin cooks and you can easily remove it. You don't need to cook the fillets through at this stage.
- 4. Now take the slightly-defrosted fillets and place them in the middle of the pastry. Top with half your tomatoes, half the dill and all the capers. Season.
- 5. Fold one side of the pastry over the fish and tomatoes, lightly brush with egg wash and then fold over the remaining sides to make a parcel.
- 6. Brush with the remaining egg wash and bake for 30 minutes, or until golden brown.
- 7. Toss the remaining tomatoes and dill in a bowl with some green leaves to make a salad and add any juices left in the pan when the pie comes out of the oven. Drizzle with a little olive oil, season and toss again.
- 8. Serve the pie hot with the salad on the side. A baked potato is good with this too if you're particularly hungry!