

PUJOLS FAMILY FOUNDATION BATTER UP COOKING PROGRAM

SICILIAN DEEP DISH PIZZA

CRUST

2 cups flour 2/3 cup warm water (110 – 115 degrees)

½ teaspoon salt 2 tablespoons vegetable oil

1 package active dry yeast

TOPPINGS

2/3 cup prepared pizza sauce 4 ounces (1 cup) shredded mozzarella

2 ounces sliced pepperoni cheese

- 1. Preheat oven to 400 degrees F. Coat 11 x 7-inch glass baking pan with no-stick cooking spray; set aside.
- 2. Place flour and salt in work bowl of food processor fitted with steel knife blade; pulse briefly to combine.
- 3. In 1-cup measure, dissolve yeast in warm water. Then add oil.
- 4. With machine running, slowly pour yeast mixture through feed tube. Continue processing until mixture pulls away from sides of work bowl and forms a ball of dough.
- 5. Pat dough into baking pan, pressing up sides to form crust. Pierce surface with fork.
- 6. Bake in 400 degree oven for 15 minutes.
- 7. Remove crust from the oven and reduce oven temperature to 350 degrees F.
- 8. Carefully spread pizza sauce over crust; top with pepperoni and cheese.
- 9. Return to oven and bake for 10 to 15 minutes or until crust is brown and cheese is melted. Make 6-8 servings.

