

## **Carnitas corn cups**

## Ingredients

- 2 cups of Maseca Nixtamasa® corn masa flour
- 1 teaspoon of baking powder
- 1 teaspoon of garlic salt
- 1 ½ cups of hot water
- ¼ cup of olive oil
- 1.5 pounds of pork shoulder
- 2 teaspoons of olive oil
- · Pickled onions
- · Queso fresco, crumbled
- Microgreen

## **Preparation**

- 1. Preheat oven to 350° F.
- 2. Whisk Maseca Nixtamasa®, baking powder and garlic salt in a large bowl. Add hot water and olive oil. Knead for 10 minutes or until masa forms and no longer sticks to hands.
- 3. Divide masa evenly into 12 pieces. Roll each piece into a  $1\frac{1}{2}$  -inch ball.
- 4. Coat a 12-cup muffin pan with cooking spray and press each masa ball into bottom and up the sides to form the cups.
- 5. Bake for 30-32 minutes. Cool for 5 minutes and remove masa cups from the pan.
- 6. Add 3 tablespoons of carnitas into each cup. Top with pickled onions, crumbled queso fresco and microgreens.