## <u>Cod and Hash Brown Florentine</u> ©www.BakingInATornado.com

NOTE: If you prefer, you can substitute frozen chopped broccoli for the spinach

## Ingredients:

1 1/2 cups frozen hash brown shreds 10 oz package frozen spinach 3/4# cod fillets 1 tsp salt, divided 1/4 plus 1/8 tsp pepper, divided 1/8 tsp ground cayenne spice 1/4 cup grated parmesan 1 tsp paprika

## **Directions:**

- \*Defrost the hash brown shreds and pat dry. Defrost the spinach and press between paper towels to remove as much of the water as you can.
- \*Cut the cod into pieces of equal thickness so it will cook evenly.
- \*Preheat oven to 425 degrees. Spray an 8 inch square casserole dish with nonstick spray.
- \*Mix together the hash brown shreds, spinach, 3/4 tsp of the salt, 1/4 tsp of the pepper and the cayenne. Spread half of this mixture into the bottom of the casserole dish.
- \*Top with the cod pieces, then sprinkle them with the remaining 1/4 tsp salt and 1/8 tsp pepper.
- \*Arrange the remaining spinach and hash brown mixture over the fish. Sprinkle with the parmesan, then the paprika.
- \*Bake for approximately 25 minutes, until the fish is completely cooked, no longer translucent and flakes easily with a fork. How long your fish will take is dependent on the thickness of the fish.