Irish Cream Cake

Ingredients

Cake ~

- ²/₃ cup all purpose flour
- 1/4 teaspoon baking powder
- 1/8 teaspoon baking soda
- 1/8 teaspoon salt
- 3 tablespoons unsalted butter, softened
- ½ cup sugar
- 1 large egg
- ½ teaspoon vanilla
- ¼ cup Bailey's Irish Cream
- 2 tablespoons milk

Glaze ~

- 2 tablespoons butter, softened
- ¾ cup powdered sugar
- 1 tablespoon Bailey's Irish Cream
- 1 teaspoon milk or half-n-half
- cappuccino chips or chocolate chips for garnish, optional

Preparation

Cake ~

- 1. Preheat oven to 350°F.
- 2. Grease and flour an 8-inch pan and set aside.
- 3. In a small bowl, combine flour, baking powder, baking soda and salt, whisk to combine and set aside.
- 4. In a large bowl, cream together butter and sugar until light and fluffy, add the egg and vanilla extract and beat until combined.
- 5. Mix in half of the flour mixture, followed by the Irish cream and milk, and once the liquid is absorbed, add the remaining flour mixture and mix till well blended.
- 6. Pour batter into prepared pan, and bake for approximately 24 minutes or until a toothpick inserted in the center comes out clean.
- 7. Cool the cake in the pan for 10 minutes before turning it out onto a wire rack to cool completely.
- 8. Once the cake has cooled, place it on your serving platter and make the glaze.

Glaze ~

- 1. In a small bowl, combine butter, powdered sugar, Irish Cream, and milk and whisk until well blended and pourable, adding more milk a half teaspoon at a time if needed.
- 2. Pour the glaze over the cake, and while it is still wet, garnish with chocolate chips if desired.
- 3. Allow the glaze to set before serving.
- 4. Store at room temperature.