**THANKSGIVING SCHEDULE**

**Guests**:

Clark, Ellen, Audrey, Russ, Cousin Eddie, Catherine, Ruby Sue, Aunt Bethany, Francis, Art, Nora

**Sunday**

* Thaw turkey in fridge
* Finish laundry
* Iron linen napkins
* Make place cards for table

**Monday**

* Publix
* Prep guest bedroom & bathroom for guests: sheets, towels, etc.
* Make compound butter for turkeys

**Tuesday**

* Costco: Seafood for Wednesday night dinner, frozen cheesecake bites, macaroons
* Set up food display on kitchen island
* Set table & arrange centerpiece

**Wednesday**

* Prep veggies for turkeys
* Make compound butter for turkeys
* Spatchcock turkey 1
* Dry brine both turkeys
* Prep roasted veggies
* Make deviled eggs
* Make ranch dip for crudité
* Make sweet potato casserole
* Make stuffing
* Thaw cheesecake bites

4:00pm: Cousin Eddie & Catherine arrive

6:00pm: Seabass & Asparagus

**THANKSGIVING DAY MENU**

**Appetizers**

* shrimp hors d’vores [Francis]
* Crudités
* Olives & Garlic Herb Almonds

**Dinner**

* Turkey – whole
* Turkey – spatchcock
* Sausage Sourdough Stuffing
* Sweet Potato Casserole
* Cranberry Sauce, Homemade [Catherine]
* Cranberry Jelly
* Deviled Eggs
* Steamed Green Beans
* Roasted Brussels sprouts, baby potatoes, & carrots
* Jalapeño mashed potatoes [Nora]
* Hawaiian Rolls
* Apples & Cheese [Francis]

**Dessert**

* Mini cheesecake bites
* Macaroons
* Pomegranate Cranberry Salad [Aunt Bethany]

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7:00am

* Coffee

8:00am

* Take turkeys out of fridge & let come up to temp (2 hours)
* Take compound butter out of fridge
* Shower & get ready

9:00am

* Macy’s Thanksgiving Day Parade

10:00am

* Prep & roast turkeys (4 hours: 3 cook, 1 rest)

11:00am

* Make shrimp hors d’vores
* Make crudité
* Put out olives & nuts

12:00pm

12:30pm

* Rotate position of turkeys in oven

1:00pm

* Take stuffing & sweet potato casserole out of fridge

1:30pm

* Check temp on turkeys; rest turkeys

2:00pm

* Warm sweet potato casserole & stuffing (30 min)
* Make gravy

3:00pm

* Carve spatchcock turkey
* Roast veggies (45 minutes)
* Steam green beans, toss in butter (10 minutes)

3:30pm

* Put out desserts
* Water in glasses
* Pour wine
* Place everything on food display

4:00pm

* Food photos

**4:15pm Thanksgiving Meal**