

A PROGRAM OF NATIVIDAD

## **Natividad**

FARMERS' MARKET

# Swiss Chard with Tahini Salad

#### THE SALAD

- 1 bunch fresh Swiss chard
- 1 large bunch fresh flat-leaf parsley, chopped

#### THE DRESSING

- 1 small clove garlic, crushed
- ½ teaspoon salt
- ½ cup well-stirred tahini
- Juice of 1 lemon
- Pinch of cayenne

### DIRECTIONS

- 1. Wash the Swiss chard; cut off and discard stems. Finely chop the leaves.
- 2. Bring 1 cup of water to a boil in a large deep-sided skillet or pot. Add the leaves, cover, and simmer gently for 2 minutes. Remove from the heat and keep covered for another 2 minutes. Drain, pressing out excess liquid.
- 3. Transfer the wilted chard to a salad bowl. Toss in the parsley.
- 4. To make the dressing, mix the garlic, salt, tahini, lemon juice, and cayenne together in a small bowl.
- 5. Drizzle the tahini sauce over the greens, then toss to coat.
- Serve warm, at room temperature, or chilled as a compliment to meat or fish.