## **Ginger and Pumpkin Soup**

4 cups cooked smashed pumpkin
3 large carrots, diced
2 celery stick, sliced
2 tsp. ground ginger
2 tsp. garam masala
3 garlic cloves, minced
4 cups chicken broth
1 Tbs. coconut oil
1 can coconut milk
seasalt and cracked black pepper to taste
Cinnamon

Garam masala is a spice blend used in Indian cooking. There are recipes online, but it is available in well stocked markets.

- 1. In a large soup pot over medium heat saute ginger, garlic, celery, and onion in oil until translucent and soft. Add garam masala and stir to combine.
- 2. Add carrots, pumpkin, and broth. Turn heat to high and bring to a boil. Turn down to simmer and cover. Simmer for 20-30 minutes or until soft.
- 3. Remove from heat and add coconut milk. Season with salt and pepper, then puree using a hand blender or regular blender. Top with cinnamon before serving.