MESSY FIESTA
… a day to experience & learn about Messy Church

Are you looking for a way to reach families who are not in our churches on Sundays?

Messy Church (MC) aims to create the opportunity for adults and children to enjoy expressing their creativity, to gather together for a meal, to experience worship and to have fun within a church context.

You will have an opportunity to experience what Messy Church can offer your church. The session will allow you to experience a Messy Church, to brainstorm around your own Messy Church, to gather resources, and to explore the history of this innovative way of being church in a changing world. You will take away knowledge, skills and materials to help you get started. For participants who have already started a Messy Church, we will share ideas and network, facilitated by a seasoned MC practitioner.

Presenters: **The Rev. Nancy Rowe** (MC Practitioner)
Sue Kalbfleisch (MC Regional Coordinator)

To find out more about Messy Church, visit the website where it all started at **www.messychurch.org.uk** Look for the video on the main page!

Friday, June 15, 2012   10 am - 3 pm
Emmanuel College, U of Toronto, 75 Queen's Park Cres. Toronto ON M5S 1K7

The cost (includes lunch, crafts, handouts and a fun day) is $30/person. Please register online at **www.morefranchises.ca** where you can pay by credit card or cheque (registration opens end of February but visit the website for more details). Registrations will be accepted until June 1 or until the maximum of 50 participants is reached. **Doors open 9:30**

[Can't attend? There will be a MC workshop Saturday, June 16 from 2-3:30 as part of the **More *than* Franchises: A Fresh Brew** conference.] For info on the conference (runs June 16-18th), check out **www.morefranchises.ca**

Questions?

Re: program – Sue Kalbfleisch 905-648-0302 or **sue.kalbfleisch@freshexpressions.ca**

Re: registration – Joanne Rose 416-231-7680 X4157 or **morefranchises@united-church.ca**

Hope you can join us for a great day of fun and learning!