

## **Upcoming Events/Opportunities (continued)**

### **Adult Christmas Musical (December 15-17)**

Join us any night, Friday-Sunday, at 6:00 pm @Mackey Campus for the Christmas Musical "*I'll Be Home for Christmas*", about family and hope in the Golden Days of Radio. You'll enjoy this 1940s era musical complete with music and costumes from the 1940s. In the midst of the radio and turmoil of a World War and family holiday gatherings, the most important trust will emerge! This is a free event! Please invite others to join you. **#ENGAGE**

### **Family Christmas Worship (December 24)**

Our Family Christmas Worship will be at 9:00 am @Owensville Campus and at 10:30 am @Mackey Campus. **#ENCOUNTER**

### **Christmas Eve Communion Service (December 24)**

Christmas Eve Communion Service will be at 5:00 pm @Mackey Campus. **#ENCOUNTER**

### **\*NEW\* Senior Saturday (January 6, 2024)**

Join us at 12:00 pm @Owensville Campus for food, fun, and fellowship! Please bring soup, sandwiches, or dessert and a table game to play. For more information, see Bob Strickland (812-677-6293). **#ENGAGE**

### **\*NEW\* MCON 101 Class (January 13, 2024)**

Are you interested in the history, beliefs and mission of the Nazarene denomination? Please attend our MCON 101 Class from 8:00 am-12:00 pm @Mackey Campus. Pre-register at the Welcome Center for a free lunch! **#ENGAGE**

### **\*NEW\* Senior Saturday (January 20, 2024)**

Join us at 12:00 pm @Mackey Campus for food, fun, and fellowship! Please bring soup, sandwiches, or dessert and a table game to play. For more information, see Bob Strickland (812-677-6293). **#ENGAGE**

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## **Mission Focus**

**Colombia**, once a colony of Spain, gained its independence as a separate state from what had been known as Gran Colombia (Colombia, Ecuador, and Venezuela) in 1831. Colombia struggled under decades of conflict between government forces, paramilitaries, and anti-government insurgent groups heavily funded by the drug trade. However, in 2016, the Colombian government signed a final peace accord, ratified by the Colombian Congress, that called for members of these groups to demobilize, disarm, and reincorporate into society and politics. The Church of the Nazarene began its work there in 1975, and former South America Regional Director Dr. Christian Sarmiento (not the 45th General Superintendent) was instrumental in that endeavor. Pray for revival, a spiritual awakening in the 89 organized churches in Colombia, and for new pastors.