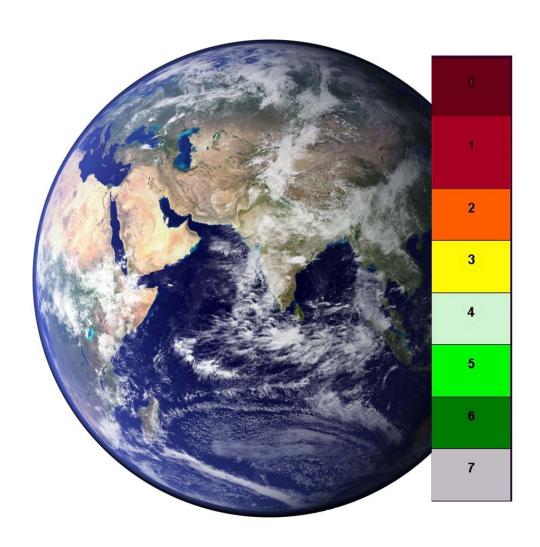
Global Status of Evangelical Christianity

August 2014
Data as of 08/01/2014





Global Status of Evangelical Christianity Model

	Status	Description		
Last Frontier	0	No evangelical Christians or churches. No access to major evangelical print, audio, visual, or human resources.		
	1	Less than 2% Evangelical. Some evangelical resources available, but no active church planting within past 2 years.		
Unreached	2	Less than 2% Evangelical. Initial (localized) church planting within past 2 years.		
	3	Less than 2% Evangelical. Widespread church planting within past 2 years.		
	4	Greater than or equal to 2% Evangelical		
	5	Greater than or equal to 5% Evangelical		
	6	Greater than or equal to 10% Evangelical		
	7	Unknown		

A model which describes the progress of the gospel among the peoples of the world by considering:

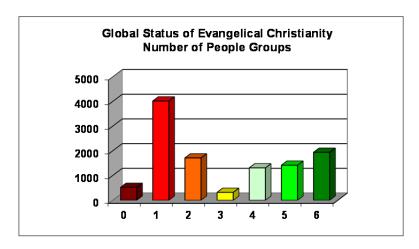
- 1. The extent to which a people group is **Evangelical**.
- 2. Accessibility to the gospel.
- 3. Church planting activity, whether localized or widespread, within the past 2 years.

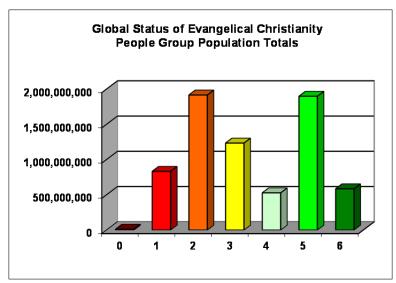
The model establishes the criteria for the subset of the world's peoples who should be identified as "<u>Unreached People Groups</u>" and the criteria for the subset of the world's Unreached People Groups who should be identified as "<u>Last Frontier People Groups</u>."



Global Status Evangelical Christianity – August 2014 People Groups

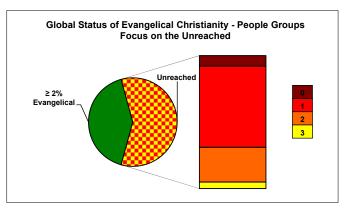
Status Level	People 0	Groups	Population		
0	493	4.4%	10,884,155	0.2%	
1	4005	35.6%	818,328,880	11.6%	
2	1715	15.3%	1,923,823,900	27.3%	
3	325	2.9%	1,247,376,800	17.7%	
4	1338	11.9%	558,980,665	7.9%	
5	1417	12.6%	1,891,893,350	26.9%	
6	1950	17.3%	585,970,665	8.3%	
Global Totals	11,243	100.0%	7,037,258,415	100.0%	

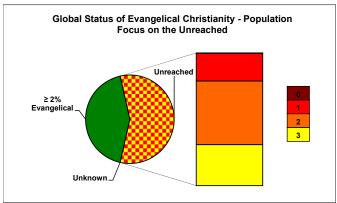




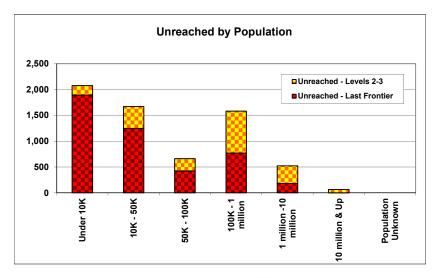
Focus on the Unreached

	People	
Status	Groups	Population
Last Frontier	4,498	829,213,035
Level 2	1,715	1,923,823,900
Level 3	325	1,247,376,800
Total Unreached	6,538	4,000,413,735





	Under	10K -	50K -	100K - 1	1 million -	10 million	Population	
Status	10K	50K	100K	million	10 million	& Up	Unknown	Total
Last Frontier	1,863	1,252	430	773	175	5	0	4,498
Level 2	163	376	203	714	230	29	0	1,715
Level 3	4	19	30	119	122	31	0	325
Total Unreached	2,030	1,647	663	1,606	527	65	0	6,538





Global Status of Evangelical Christianity - Definition of Terms

Unreached People Group

A people group in which less than 2% of the population are Evangelical Christians.

Last Frontier People Group

A people group which is unreached and has not had a new evangelical church started within the past two years.

Engagement

A people group is engaged when a church planting strategy, consistent with Evangelical faith and practice, is under implementation. (In this respect, a people group is not engaged when it has been merely adopted, is the object of focused prayer, or is part of an advocacy strategy.)

Evangelical

An Evangelical Christian is a person who believes that Jesus Christ is the sole source of salvation through faith in Him, has personal faith and conversion with regeneration by the Holy Spirit, recognizes the inspired word of God as the only basis for faith and Christian living, and is committed to Biblical preaching and evangelism that brings others to faith in Jesus Christ.

Therefore, an Evangelical church is a church that is characterized by these same beliefs and principles. Some churches that are not considered Evangelical in faith and practice may contain members who are Evangelical.

