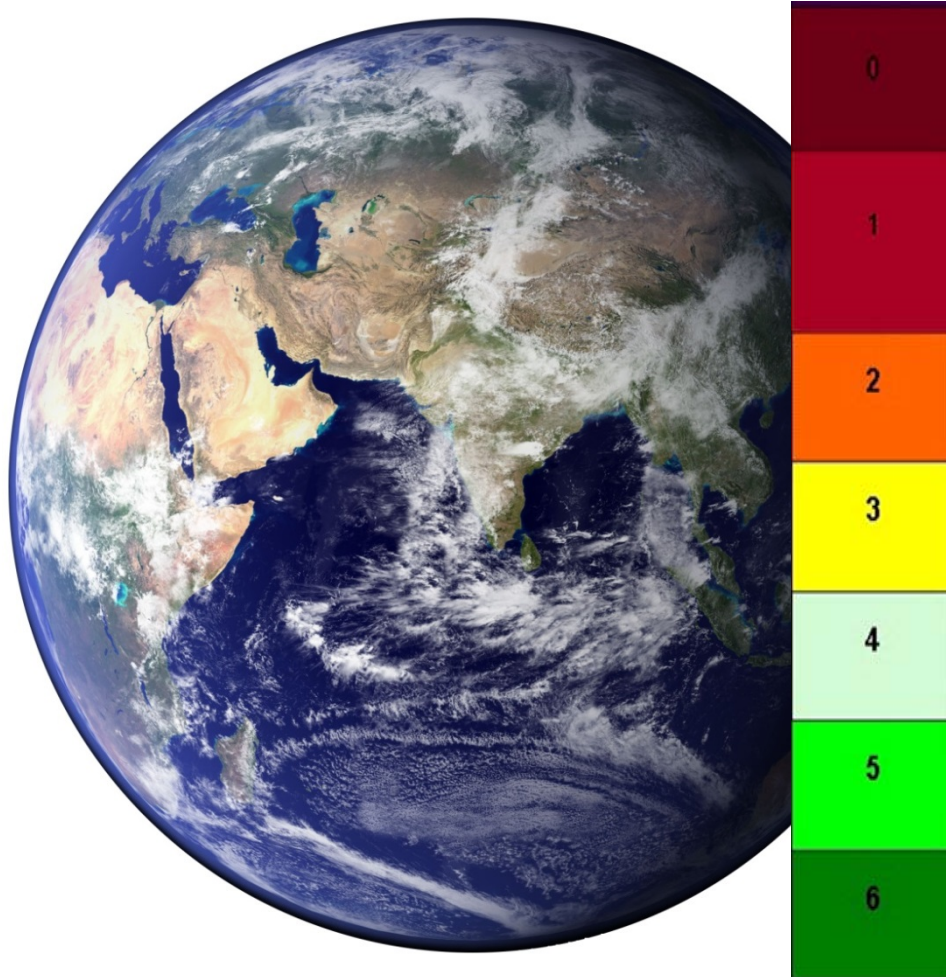


Global Status of Evangelical Christianity

August 2020
Data as of 09/01/2020



Global Status of Evangelical Christianity Model

	Status	Description
Unreached	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.
	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

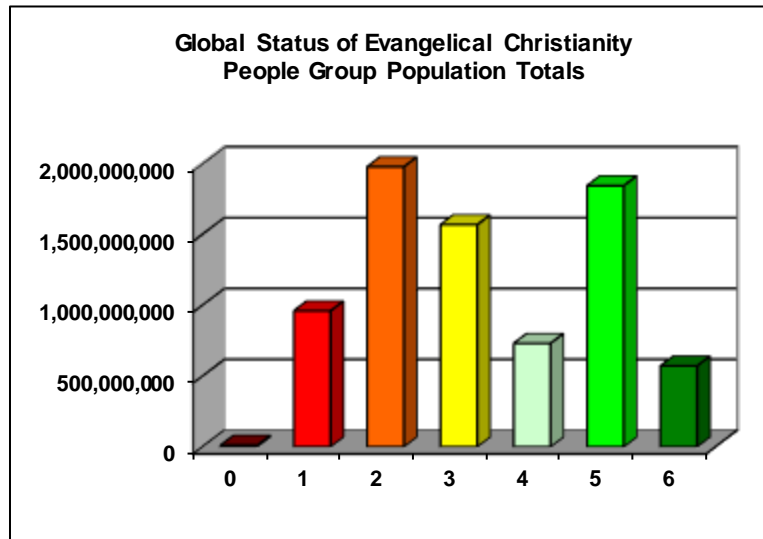
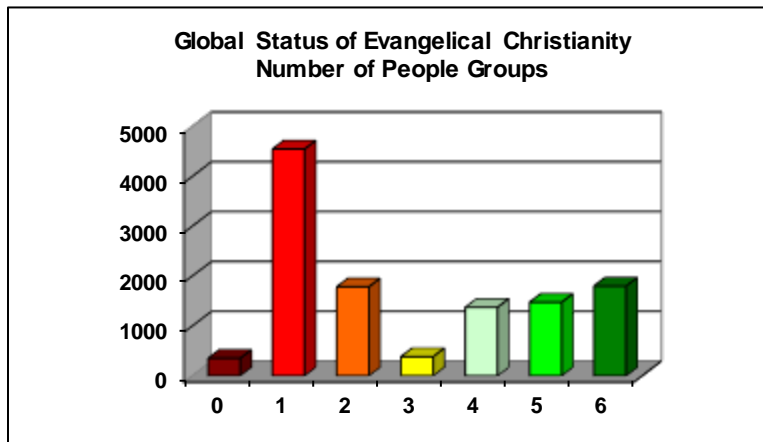
A model which describes the progress of the gospel among the peoples of the world by considering:

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 "[Unreached People Groups](#)".

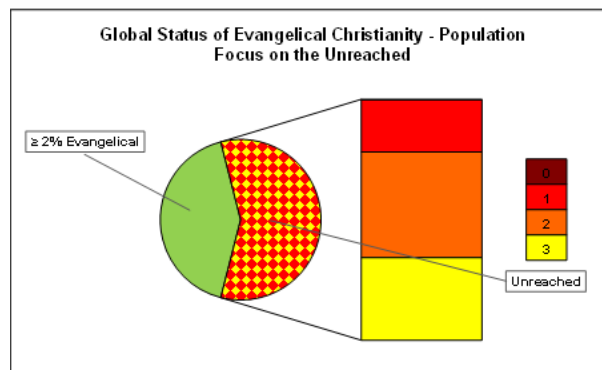
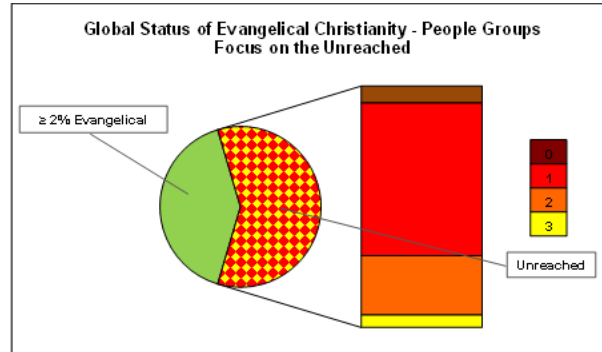
Global Status Evangelical Christianity – August 2020
People Groups

Status Level	People		Population	
0	356	3.0%	11,281,025	0.1%
1	4542	38.7%	1,106,348,795	14.1%
2	1789	15.3%	1,988,142,750	25.4%
3	382	3.3%	1,537,603,600	19.6%
4	1378	11.7%	782,612,705	10.0%
5	1475	12.6%	1,830,377,185	23.4%
6	1806	15.4%	571,371,245	7.3%
Global Totals	11,728	100.0%	7,827,737,305	100.0%

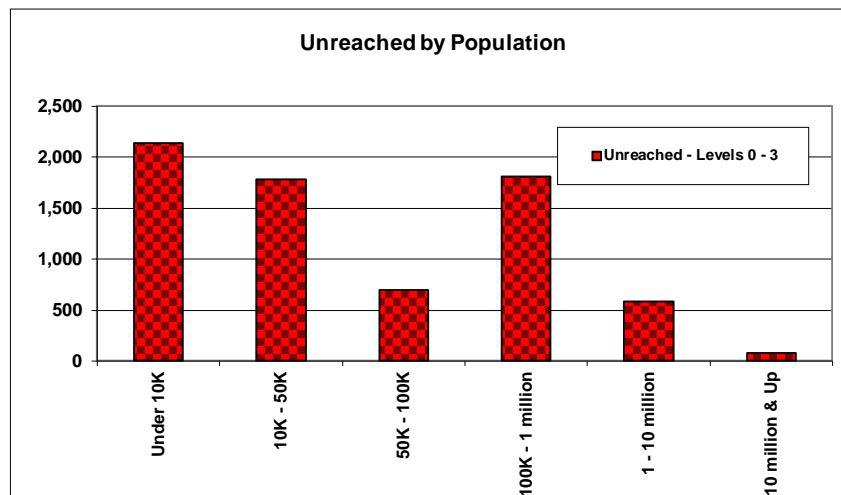


Focus on the Unreached

Status	People Groups	Population
Level 0	356	11,281,025
Level 1	4,542	1,106,348,795
Level 2	1,789	1,988,142,750
Level 3	382	1,537,603,600
Total Unreached	7,069	4,643,376,170



Status	Under 10K	10K - 50K	50K - 100K	100K - 1 million	1 - 10 million	10 million & Up	Total
Level 0	227	83	21	24	1	0	356
Level 1	1,729	1,282	474	858	184	15	4,542
Level 2	159	374	203	772	255	26	1,789
Level 3	4	25	22	155	137	39	382
Total Unreached	2,119	1,764	720	1,809	577	80	7,069



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.

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.