**AFGHAN CHURCH PLANT**

M and H partnered in 2019 with New Vision Church to start a Fremont-based Afghan-American Church, reaching local and global Afghani populations through in-person and online outreach and discipleship.

**THE UYGHUR PROJECT**

K and P started the Uyghur Project in June 2021, in partnership with Southbay Community Church.

**STRATEGY**

- **Equipping:** Provide resources and education to prepare Churches for engagement with UPGs in their own community.
- **Adopting:** Adopt GCA Missionaries who will evangelize UPGs living locally.
- **Connecting:** Connect GCA Missionaries with GCA Churches to partner in reaching UPGs for Christ.

**Ways your Church can get involved...**

- Pray
- Adopt a UPG
- Partner with GCA Missionaries
- Participate in local outreach events

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**GAET COMMISSION UPG PROJECT**

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WHAT IS AN UNREACHED PEOPLE GROUP?

A "People Group" is an ethnolinguistic group with a common self-identity, history, culture and heart language. There are over 10,000 People Groups in the world. Of these, over 6,000 are classified as Unreached (UPG), virtually untouched by the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Many live in closed countries where the practice and preaching of the Gospel is prohibited.

AN UNPRECEDENTED OPPORTUNITY

The Lord of the Harvest has brought the Nations to our own backyard. In this time of increasing Globalization, God has opened a unique opportunity, as many of these Unreached People Groups are now living here in California as students, professionals and refugees.

OUR VISION

MOBILIZE GCA CHURCHES TO PLANT MULTIPLYING CHURCHES AMONG THE UPG'S.

Afghans
The Bay Area contains the largest communities of Afghans in the U.S., with over 29,000. Recent events have caused a great influx of Afghans in need, opening new doors and ministry opportunities.

Nepalese
Nepal is a multi-ethnic nation with 125 ethnic groups and 123 languages, composed of Hindus, Muslims and Buddhists. Many come to the U.S. fleeing natural disasters and war.

Hindi-Speaking Hindus
Santa Clara is one of the top two Hindi-speaking counties in the entire U.S., with over 42,000. Many speak English well and are here as international students or high-tech workers.

Sikhs
Sikhs were one of the first South Asian Immigrants to the U.S., emigrating as early as 130 years ago. Now they number in the thousands here in the South Bay.

Uyghurs
The Uyghurs are an ethnic minority group primarily from China, where they have been heavily persecuted. They are 99.99% Muslim.