

What is
Ethnic Embrace
Chicago?



Go therefore and make disciples
of all the nations (ethnic groups) . . .” Matthew 28:19.

“The stranger who dwells among you shall be to you as one born among you,
and you shall love him as yourself . . .” Leviticus 19:34.

We, who live in the Chicagoland area, are privileged to have living near us, a kaleidoscope of nations and Unreached People Groups (UPG’s) from around the world. As Christians, we have a unique opportunity to befriend and get to know these near neighbors from approximately 200 distinct countries. You don’t need a visa, just a vision to learn, love, and serve!

What are some ways we can practically do this?

- Start by taking this unique booklet and daily pray God’s blessing on these initial 31 precious peoples!
- Go visit these neighborhoods, do business there, and enjoy some genuine ethnic cuisine. What a great way to meet and make friends!
- Contact us for some practical life-changing opportunities to serve with a heartfelt ethnic embrace!

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