Practicing Diversity in your Local Vineyard Church







Introducing our panelists:

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Our Connection to Diversity & Reconciliation







Why it Matters To Engage in Diverse Relationships







Demographics of the Movement

(all statistics retrieved from VUSA National Census Data 2006-2015)







FACT #1:

A multiethnic church is defined by one ethnic background constituting not more than 80% of the total church attendance.





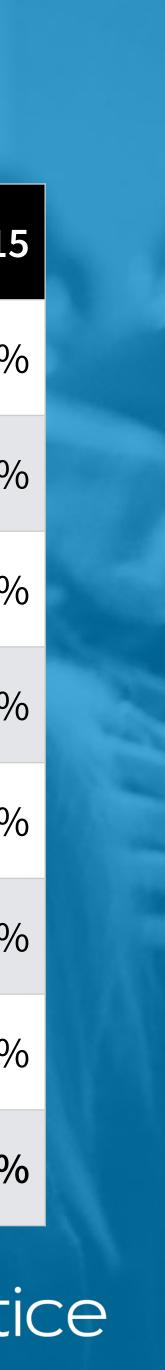


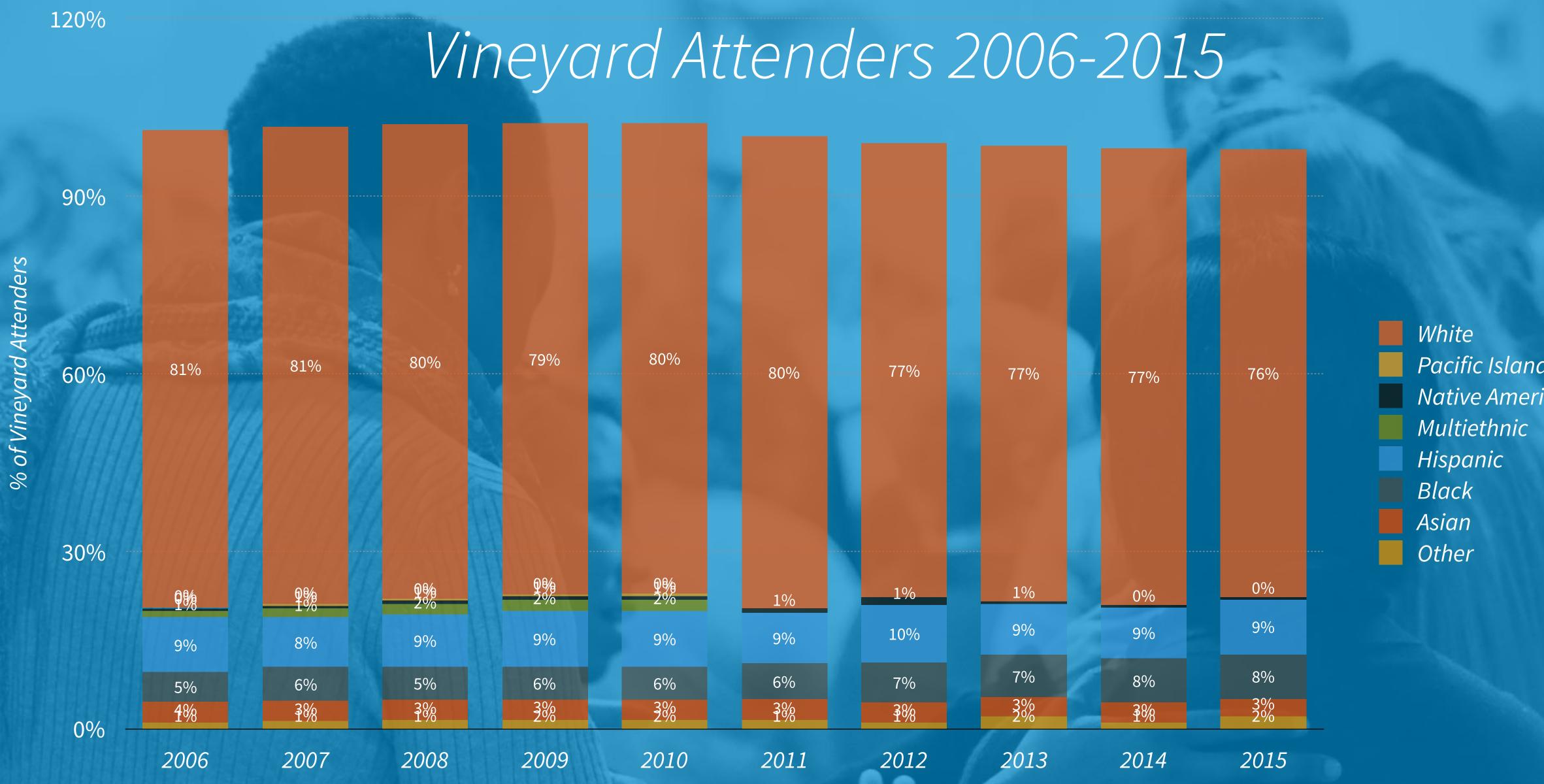
Vineyard USA Attenders 2006-2015

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Asian	3.53%	3.38%	3.45%	3.33%	3.30%	3.47%	3.32%	3.25%	3.32%	2.96%	2.89%
Black	4.91%	5.69%	5.49%	5.67%	5.68%	6.13%	6.83%	7.13%	7.55%	7.50%	7.77%
Hispanic	9.33%	8.44%	8.84%	9.39%	9.41%	8.51%	9.67%	8.61%	8.51%	9.17%	9.73%
Multiethnic							1.03%	1.41%	1.77%	1.94%	1.91%
Native American	0.46%	0.53%	0.58%	0.59%	0.59%	0.66%	1.26%	0.50%	0.45%	0.41%	0.67%
Other	1.10%	1.34%	1.49%	1.53%	1.53%	1.49%	1.09%	2.07%	1.07%	2.12%	1.78%
Pacific Islander							0.06%	0.20%	0.27%	0.27%	0.34%
White	80.67%	80.63%	80.15%	79.49%	79.50%	79.74%	76.74%	76.83%	77.07%	75.63%	74.91%

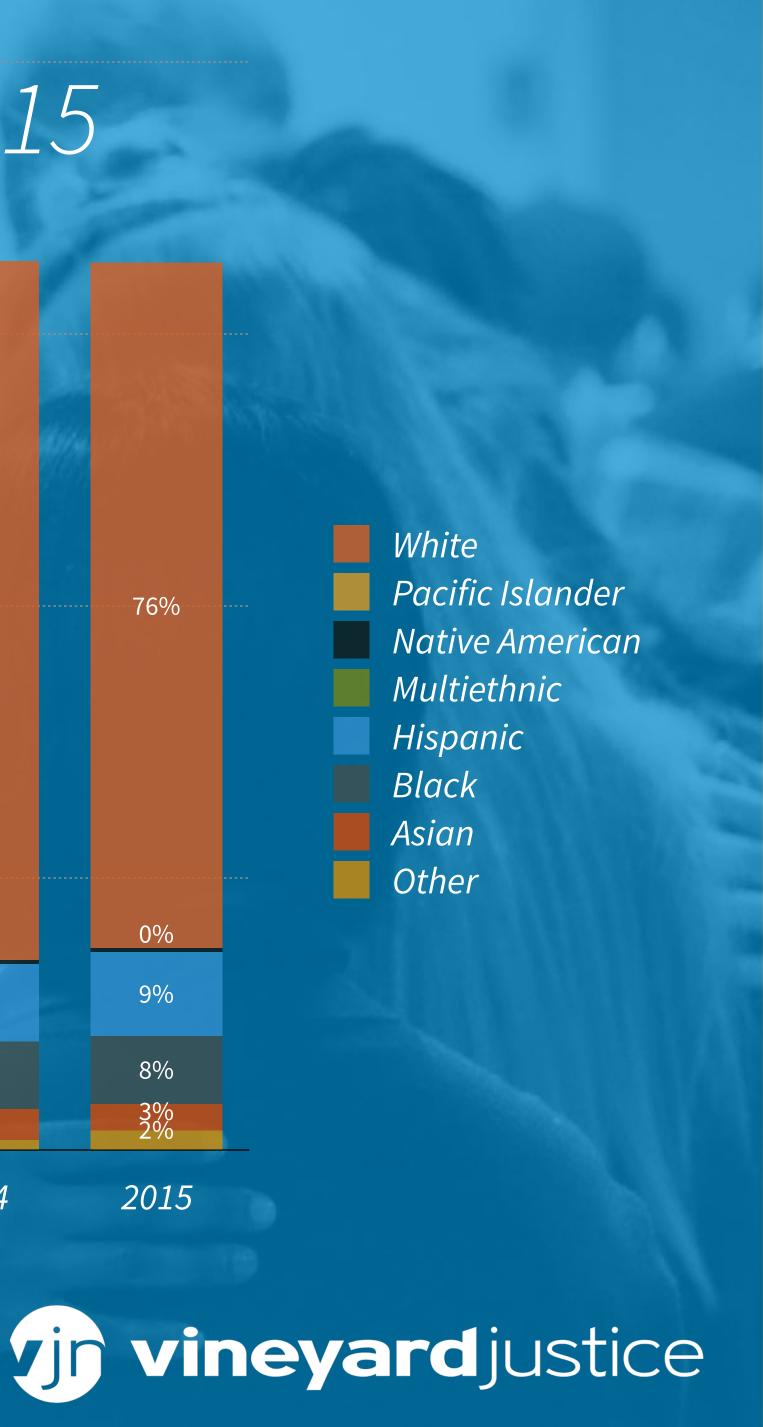
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FACT #2:



Since 2008 the Vineyard in the USA can be categorically defined as a multiethnic movement with less than 80% of attenders being white.





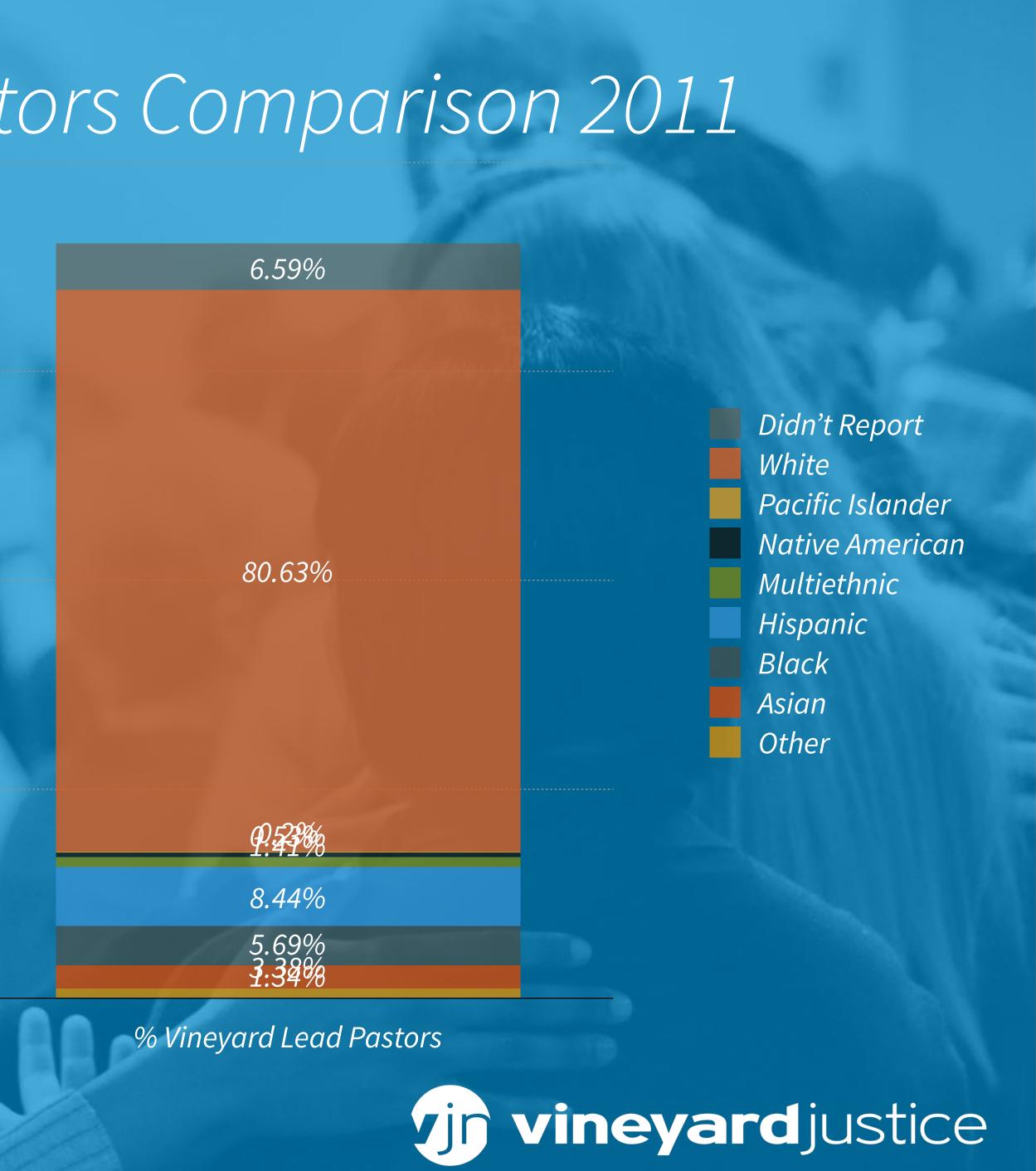
Vineyard Attenders/Pastors Comparison 2011

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9.33%	
4.91% 31.513%	

Vineyard Attenders





of Vineyard Pastors 2011

White 493



Didn't Report 39

> Other 9 Asian 9 Black 9

Hispanic 29

Multiethnican Machic Islanden Z Other
Asian
Black
Hispanic
Multiethnic
Native American
Pacific Islander
White
Didn't Report

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Starting Points for Engagement







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