

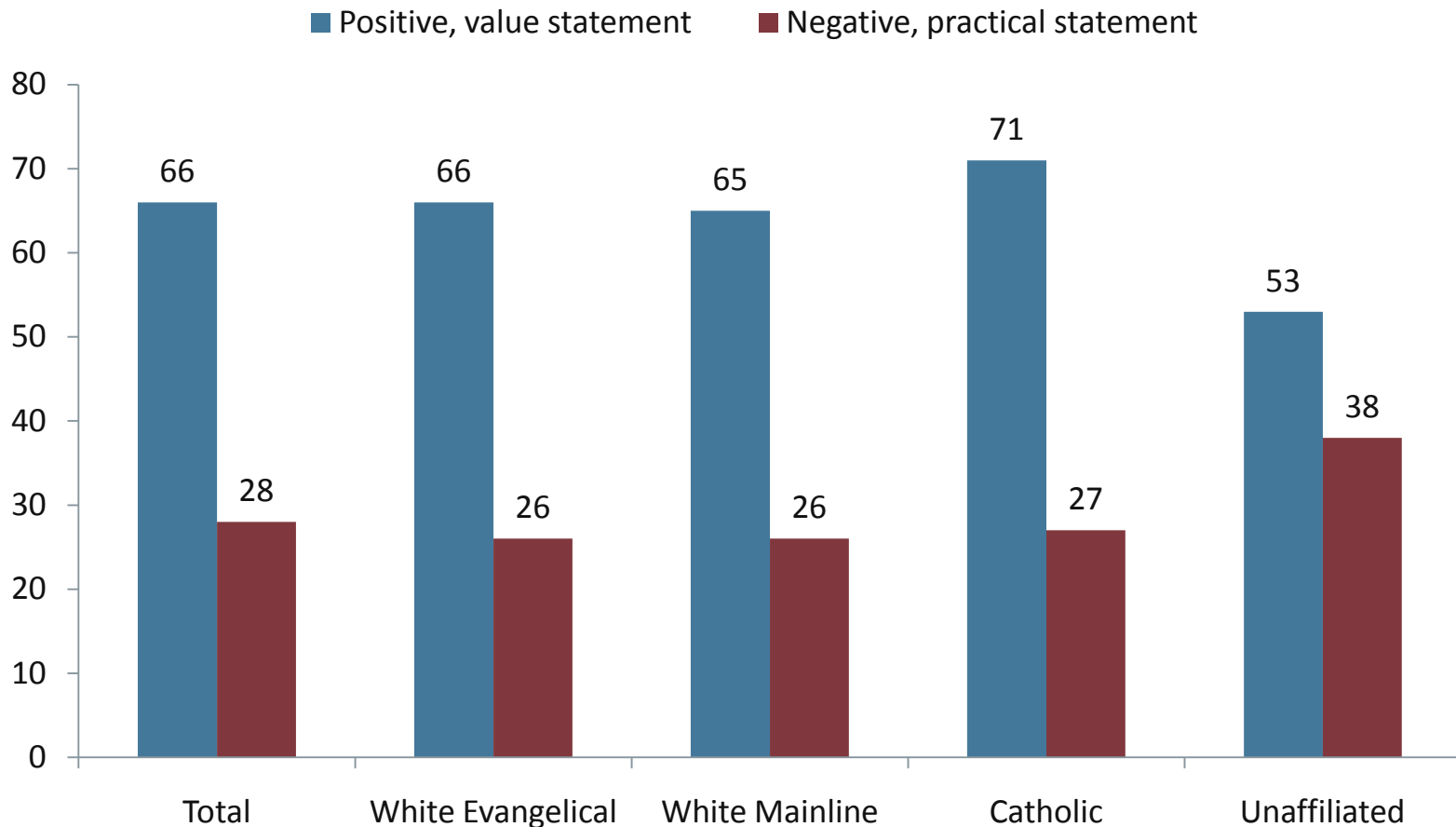
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Support for Comprehensive Immigration Reform

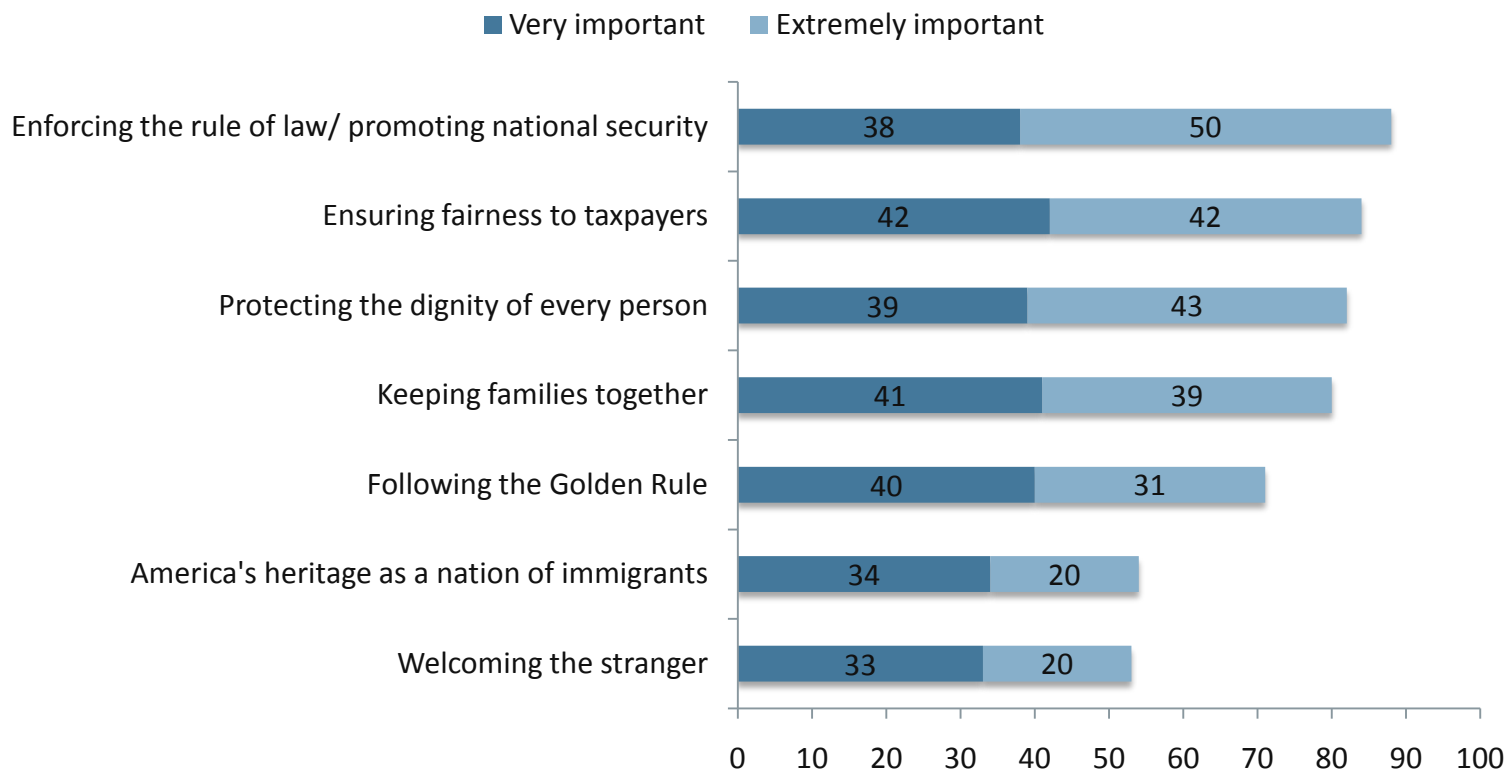


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Immigration Reform: Underlying Values



Values Important to Immigration Reform



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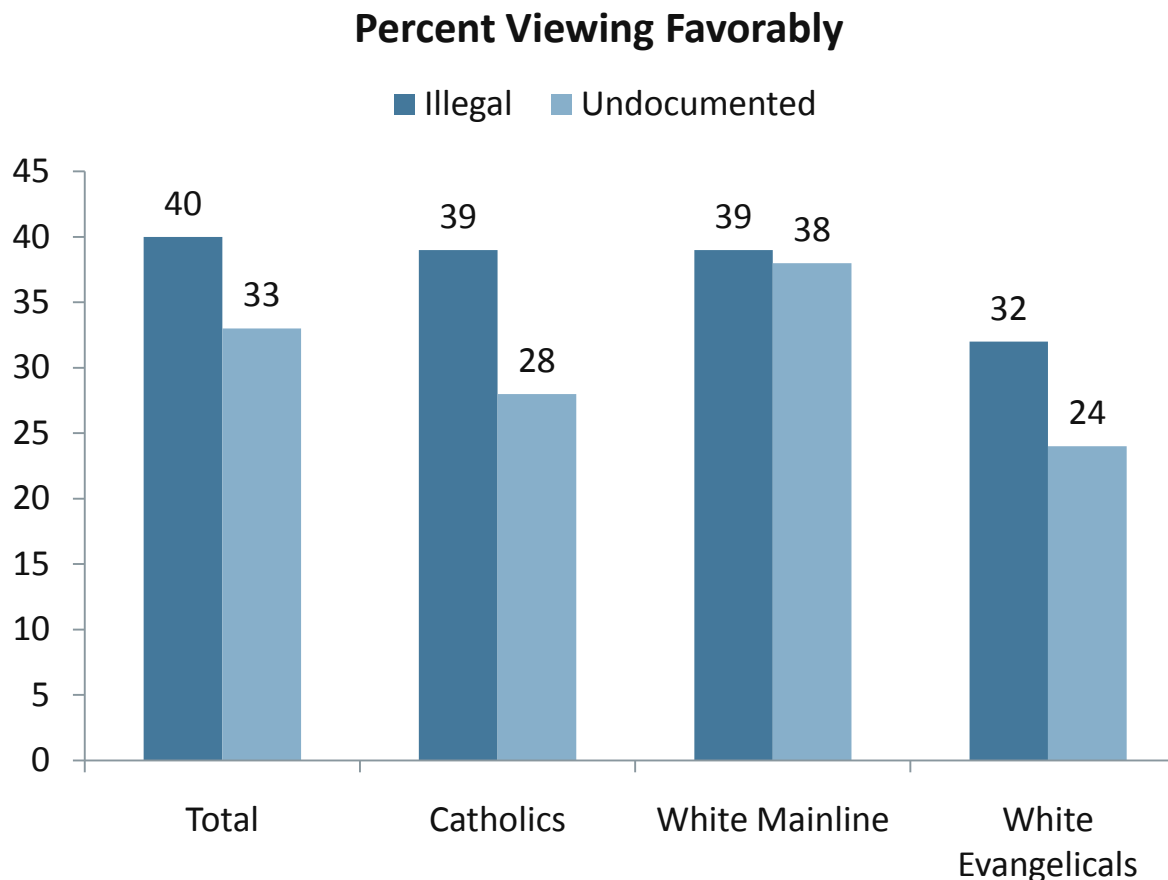
Nuances in Support for Comprehensive Immigration Reform



- White evangelicals have significant concerns about the impact of immigrants in the country:
 - » A majority (54%) of evangelicals say immigrants are a burden on the country because they take American jobs, housing, and healthcare;
 - » Only 31% say immigrants strengthen the country because of their hard work and talents.
 - » Americans overall are nearly evenly divided on this question (45% to 43%).
- **HOWEVER**, white evangelicals still strongly support CIR over alternative enforcement only proposals by a 2-to-1 margin (66% to 26%).

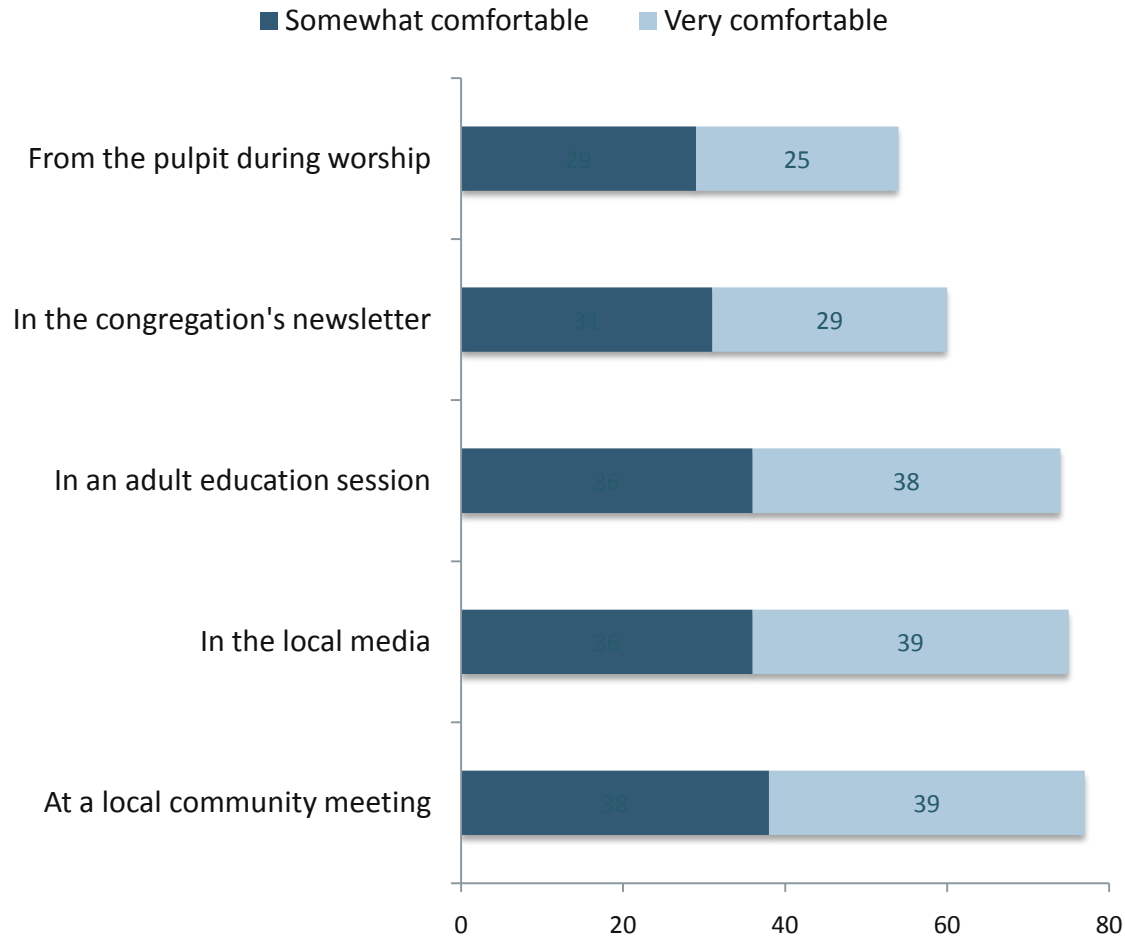
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Testing Terminology: Undocumented vs. Illegal Immigrants



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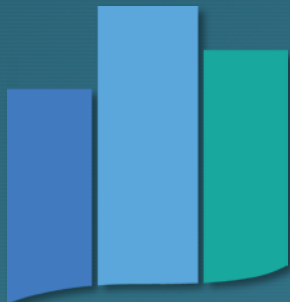
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