

Basic Greek, Week 2

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I. Class outline

A. History of Koine Greek

B. What kind of information is coded into the form of a verb?

1. Big-picture overview of tense, voice, mood, person and number
2. The form of the present active indicative see column "PAI" on the Paradigm Sheet.

C. Translation using the next vocabulary group.

II. For next week:

A. Sing, "ὦ εἰς εἰ, ὀμνῶ ἐτε οὐσι..."

B. This week's 4,819 vocabulary words (accents optional)

ἀκούω-I hear

βλέπω-I see

ἔχω-I have

γράφω-I write

λύω-I loose, destroy

πιστεύω-I believe

λέγω-I say

λαμβάνω-I take, receive

γινώσκω-I know

θέλω-I wish

C. Use your present active indicative endings, and your vocabulary words to translate the underlined words:

1. Matt. 7:3 τί δὲ βλέπεις τὸ κάρφος τὸ ἐν τῷ ὀφθαλμῷ τοῦ ἀδελφοῦ σου
2. Matt. 4:10 τότε λέγει αὐτῷ ὁ Ἰησοῦς·
3. Matt. 3:9 πατέρα ἔχομεν τὸν Ἀβραάμ
4. Matt. 9:28 καὶ λέγει αὐτοῖς ὁ Ἰησοῦς· πιστεύετε ὅτι δύναμαι
5. John 10:14 Ἐγὼ εἶμι ὁ ποιμὴν ὁ καλὸς καὶ γινώσκω τὰ ἐμὰ, καὶ γινώσκουσίν με τὰ ἐμὰ,

D. Optional options

1. Write the following sentences (hint: each is just one word!)
 - a) He is taking.
 - b) They are knowing.
 - c) Y'all are believing.
 - d) We are destroying.
 - e) I am saying.
 - f) You (singular) are writing.
2. Read out loud from the Greek New Testament, or from the Greek Scripture Selections handout.
3. Skim over Mounce, chapter 15, 16. Pick out parts to learn more from.

III. Additional resources

Download a Greek font, and keyboard layout to use.

<http://www.tekna.com/freegreekfont>

One of many sites where you can see Greek text parallel to English:

<http://unbound.biola.edu/>