Mastering NT Greek

8. Getting Personal Pronouns

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Warm-ups
Review: What we’ve done so far

- Alphabet, accents, syllables
- Verb: Present Active Indicative (PAI)
- Nouns: 2-1-2 (Masc/Fem)
- Prepositions
- Adjectives
  (Attributive (+DA),
   Predicate (-DA),
   Substantive (-Noun))
Present Active Indicative Verbs

- λύω
- λύεις
- λύει
- λύομεν
- λύετε
- λύουσιν(ν)
## 2-1-2 Noun Forms

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Prepping Prepositions: Do Moves

- **προς (to)**: Accusative (towards)
- **εἰς (into)**: Dative (in)
- **ἐπί (on)**: Genitive (separation, from)
- **ἐκ (out of, from)**: Dative (in)
- **ἐν (in)**: Genitive (separation, from)
- **σὺν (with)**: Dative (in)
- **μετά (with; after)**: Dative (in)
- **κατά (down, against)**: Dative (in)
- **διά (through; on account of)**
The "is" verb PAI -- ἐμί

ἐμί ἐσμέν
ἐὶ ἐστέ
ἐστί(ν) ἐσι(ν)
John 1:1

Ἐν ἀρχῇ ἦν ὁ λόγος,
in the beginning was the word
καὶ ὁ λόγος ἦν πρὸς τὸν θεόν
and the word was with God
καὶ θεὸς ἦν ὁ λόγος
and the word was God.
Personal Pronouns: an Introduction
Pronouns in English

- Def: Pronoun is a word that stands in place of a noun.
  - Zach threw the ball to Elliott.
  - It (the ball) hit him (Elliott).
6 Types of Pronouns

- **Personal Pronouns**: me, you, he, she, it, they. *She rode the train.*
- **Demonstrative Pronouns**: this, that
  - *This bike belongs to that student.*
- **Relative Pronouns**: who, which
  - *It is a great person who attempts to master Greek.*
- **Reciprocal Pronouns**: one another
  - *They loved one another.*
6 Types of Pronouns

- **Reflexive Pronouns**: herself, himself
  - She hid **herself** in the closet.

- **Interrogative Pronouns**: ask a question
  - Who? What?
  - **Who** took my keys?
English Pronoun Case

- **Subject:** he, she, they
- **Possessive:** his, hers, their
  - The bike was hers.
- **Objective:** him, her, them
  - He took them to the store.
  - It is I or me?
  - It is he or him?
  - It is she or her?
# First Person Personal Pronoun

- **First Person** = *I* (ἐγώ)

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<td>ήμων</td>
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- Learn the call chant for ἐγώ
Second Person Personal Pronoun

- Second Person = you (σύ)

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<td>ήμεῖς you (pl.)</td>
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<td>σοῦ  your/of you</td>
<td>ήμων  your</td>
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<td>σοι  to/for you</td>
<td>ήμῖν  to/for you</td>
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<td>σέ  you</td>
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- Learn the call chant for ἐγώ and σύ (see below)
Examples

- Ἰησοῦς Χριστός εἶμι τὸ φῶς τοῦ κόσμου
- I am the light of the world
1st and 2nd Person Chant

- ἐγώ σὺ ἡμεῖς
- μού σου ἡμῶν
- μοι σοι ἡμῖν
- με σε ἡμᾶς

To get the 2nd person plural just shift the
ή (ἡμεῖς) to a ὅ (ὕμεῖς) etc.
Declension Format

- **Person** + **Case** + **Number**
  - μου = 1st Gen Sg
  - σε = 2nd Acc Sg
Third Person Personal Pronoun

- Follows the 2-1-2 pattern: αὐτός (he)
- Masculine

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<td>αὐτῶις</td>
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Third Person Personal Pronoun

- Follows the 2-1-2 pattern: αὐτή (she)
- Feminine

Nom. αὐτή she αὐταί they
Gen. αὐτῆς hers αὐτῶν their
Dat. αὐτηί to/for her αὐταῖς to them
Acc. αὐτήν her αὐτάς them
Third Person Personal Pronoun

- Follows the 2-1-2 pattern: αὐτό (it)
- Neuter

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Three uses of αὐτός

1) As a pronoun
   - λέγει αὐτῷ ὁ Ἰησοῦς
   - Jesus said to him

2) Reflexive Intensifier -- she herself
   - Usually nominative – predicate use
     - (no Art.)
     - Ἰησοῦς αὐτὸς ὦκ ἑβάπτιζεν.
     - Jesus himself did not baptize.
Three uses of αὐτός

- 3. Adjective meaning "same"
- In the attributive position, adjectival relation to the noun (+ art.)
- ἡ αὐτὴ σάρξ
- The same flesh
Pronoun Enclitics

- Many personal pronouns are enclitics.
- μου, μοι, με, σου, σοι, σε
- Sometimes these are accented for emphasis or when they are the first word in the sentence. An ε may also be added as well to the 1st person singular forms: ἐμοῦ, ἐμοί, ἐμέ.
Totally Personal Chant

- ἐγώ    συ    ἡμεῖς
- μοῦ    σοῦ    ἡμῶν
- μοι    σοι    ἡμῖν
- με    σε    ἡμᾶς

- Αὐτός, αὐτή, αὐτό
Chapter 8 Vocabulary

- αὐτός, -ή, -ό

he/she/it
Chapter 8 Vocabulary

- 抢劫, -抢劫, 他

land, earth, region
Chapter 8 Vocabulary

- ἐγώ, ἡμεῖς
  - I, we
Chapter 8 Vocabulary

- ημέρα, -ας, η

day
Chapter 8 Vocabulary

- ὅτι
  - that, so that
Chapter 8 Vocabulary

- อยู่

so, then, therefore
Chapter 8 Vocabulary

- ὀχλος, -ου, ὁ

crowd
Chapter 8 Vocabulary

- \( \pi \alpha \alpha \)
  
  *from*  
  (with Gen.)
Chapter 8 Vocabulary

παρά

- beside, with (with Dat.)
- alongside, beside (with Acc.)
Chapter 8 Vocabulary

- σύ, ύμεῖς

you, you (pl.)
Chapter 8 Vocabulary

- ἐπό
  - by, at the hands of (with Gen.)
Chapter 8 Vocabulary

- ὑπό
  - under, below (with Acc.)
Vocabulary Review
Ch. 1 -- Vocabulary

angel, messenger

ἄγγελος, -ου, ὁ

verily, truly

ἀμήν

man, humankind

ἄνθρωπος, -ου, ὁ

I

ἐγώ

God

θεός, -οῦ, ὁ
Ch. 1 -- Vocabulary

and, also, even
καὶ

heart
καρδία, -ας, η

I say
λέγω

prophet
προφήτης, -ου, ο

Christ, Messiah
Χριστός, -οῦ, ο
Ch. 2 -- Vocabulary

- brother
  - ἀδελφός, -οῦ, ὁ

- I hear, obey
  - ἀκούω

- glory, fame
  - δόξα, -ῆς, ἡ

- I have
  - ἔχω

- world
  - κόσμος, -οῦ, ὁ
Ch. 2 -- Vocabulary

- Lord, sir
  - κύριος, -ου, ó

- word
  - λόγος, -ου, ó

- Peter
  - Πέτρος, -ου, ó

- son
  - υἱός, -οῦ, ó

- Pharisee
  - Φαρισαίος, -ου, ó
Ch. 3 -- Vocabulary

- but, yet
  - ἀλλά

- apostle, sent one
  - ἀπόστολος, -ου, ὁ

- I see
  - βλέπω

- for, then
  - γάρ

- I know
  - γινώσκω
Ch. 3 -- Vocabulary

- Jesus
  - Ἰησοῦς, -οῦς, ὁ

- I take, receive
  - λαµβάνω

- I loose
  - λύω

- heaven
  - οὐρανός, -οῦς, ὁ

- I believe
  - πιστεύω
Ch. 4 -- Vocabulary

- I love
  - ἀγαπάω

- I write
  - γράφω

- but, and
  - δέ

- servant, slave
  - δοῦλος, -οῦ, ὁ

- I find
  - εὑρίσκω
Ch. 4 -- Vocabulary

- temple
  • ἱερόν, -οῦ, τό

- people
  • λαός, -οῦ, ὁ

- law
  • νόμος, -ου, ὁ

- house
  • οἶκος, -ου, ὁ

- as, about, how
  • ὡς
Ch. 5 -- Vocabulary

- love
  - ἀγάπη, -ης, ἡ

- truth
  - ἀλήθεια, -ας, ἡ

- sin
  - ἀμαρτία, -ας, ἡ

- kingdom
  - βασιλεία, -ας, ἡ

- writing, Scripture
  - γραφή, -ῆς, ἡ
Ch. 5 -- Vocabulary

- ἐγείρω
  - I raise up
- ἐκκλησία, -ας, η
  - assembly, church
- ἔργον, -ου, τό
  - work
- μαθητής, -ου, ο
  - disciple
- ώρα, -ας, η
  - Hour
Chapter 6 Vocabulary

- ἀπό (Gen.)
  - from
- διά (Gen.)
  - through
- διά (Acc.)
  - on account of
- εἰς (Acc.)
  - into
Chapter 6 Vocabulary

- ἐκ (Gen.)
  - out of, from
- ἐν (Dat.)
  - in
- ἐπί (Gen.)
  - on, over
- ἐπί (Dat.)
  - on, at, against, on the basis of
Chapter 6 Vocabulary

- ἐπί (Acc.)
  - on, to, toward, against

- κατά (Gen.)
  - down, against

- κατά (Acc.)
  - according to

- μετά (Gen.)
  - with
Chapter 6 Vocabulary

- μετά (Acc.)
  - after, behind
- περί (Gen.)
  - about, concerning
- περί (Acc.)
  - around, near
- πρός (Acc.)
  - to
Vocabulary -- Ch. 7

- **good**
  - ἀγαθός, -ή, -όν

- **holy**
  - ἅγιος, -α, -ον

- **righteous**
  - δίκαιος, -α, -ον
Vocabulary – Ch. 7

- I am
  - εἰμι

- Jewish, a Jew
  - Ἰουδαῖος, -α, -ον

- great
  - μέγας, μεγάλη, μέγα
Vocabulary -- Ch. 7

- dead
- νεκρός, -ά, -όν
- no, not
- οὐ, οὐκ, οὐχ
- first
- πρώτος, -η, -ον
- voice
- φωνή, -ῆς, η