

1 Thes. 4:9-12

v. 9

φιλαδελφίας

love of a brother/sister, transferred sense of affection for a fellow Christian
affection for one's fellow believer, affection for a fellow believer

χρείαν

that which should happen or be supplied because it is needed, need, what should be, have need of
something or someone, cf. v. 12, 1:8

that which is lacking and particularly needed, need, lack, what is needed

γράφειν

PAInf

fr. γραφω

to express thought in writing, of correspondence write to someone, cf. 5:1
to write

θεοδίδακτοί

taught/instructed by God

pertaining to being taught by God, instructed by God

v. 10

ποιεῖτε

PAI2pl

fr. ποιεω

to do something to others, do something to/with, to someone's advantage
to behave or act in a particular way with respect to someone, to behave toward, to deal with, to
do to, to act

ὅλη

pertaining to being complete in extent, whole, entire, complete
a degree of totality or completeness, complete, completely, totally, totality,
a totality as a complete unit, whole, complete, entire

παρακαλοῦμεν

PAI1pl

fr. παρακαλω

to urge strongly, appeal to, urge, exhort, encourage, cf. 2:12, 4:1, 5:14, to make a strong request
for something, request, implore, entreat
to ask for something earnestly and with propriety, to ask for, to request, to plead for, to appeal to,
earnest request

περισσεύειν

PAInf

fr. περισσευω

to be in abundance, abound, of persons, be outstanding, be prominent, excel, cf. v. 1
to cause an increase in the degree of some experience or state, to cause to be intense, to cause to
be more, to cause to grow, cf. 3:12

μᾶλλον

to a greater or higher degree, more, cf. v. 1, a degree which surpasses in some manner a point on
an explicit or implicit scale of extent, more, to a greater degree

v. 11

φιλοτιμεῖσθαι PM/PdepInf fr. φιλοτιμεομαι
have as one's ambition, consider it an honor, aspire, with focus on rendering service, with inf.
to earnestly aspire to something, implying strong ambition for some goal, to aspire to, to make
something one's ambition to

ἡσυχάζειν PAInf fr. ἡσυχάζω
to live a quiet life or refrain from disturbing activity, be peaceable/orderly, of conduct that does
not disturb the peace. Christian leaders endeavored to keep their members free of anything that
might be construed as disturbance of public order
to live in a quiet, peaceful, mild manner, to live a quiet life, peaceful living

πράσσειν PAInf fr. πράσσω
to bring about or accomplish something through activity, do, accomplish, practice, busy oneself
with, mind something, 'one's own affairs'
to carry out some activity, to do, to carry out, to perform, deed

ἐργάζεσθαι PM/PdepInf fr. ἐργαζομαι
to engage in activity that involves effort, work, be active with one's hands
to engage in an activity involving considerable expenditure of effort, to work, to labor

παρηγγείλαμεν AAIpl fr. παραγγελλω
to make an announcement about something that must be done, give orders, command, instruct,
direct, urge, insist upon
to announce what must be done, to order, to command

v. 12

περιπατῆτε PAS2pl fr. περιπατεω
to conduct one's life, comport oneself, behave, live, as habit of conduct, cf. 4:1
to live or behave in a customary manner, with possible focus upon continuity of action, to live, to
behave, to go about doing

εὐσχημόνως
pertaining to being proper in behavior, decently, becomingly
pertaining to being a fitting or becoming manner of behavior, in a becoming manner, decently,
with propriety

ἔξω
pertaining to non-inclusion in a group, on the outside, as substantive, outsider, of non-Christians
generally
a person who is not a member of a particular in-group, outsider

χρεῖαν
see above