

Some Lesser Conjunctions...as I see 'em

ἄχρι	-until	διότι	-because
ὅτε	-when	τιᾶν	-nevertheless
ὡς	-when, as	ὥστε	-so that, therefore
ὅτιως	-in order that	πρὶν	-before

Then there are some correlative conjunctions.

ἢ	-or	ἢ...ἢ	-either--or
οὐκ	-neither	οὐκ...οὐδέ	-neither-nor

These are the most common correlatives although there are others!

That is probably enough about conjunctions but I will tell you that you will often hear preachers say.."When you see a 'therefore' ask what it is there for." But when you look at the Greek text you will find that many times it is not "therefore" at all but καὶ (and). So I have said that when you see a therefore you will know that is how the translator thought the conjunction should be translated.

3. Some Assorted Greek PARTICLES

Essentially the particles are non-declinable words or expressions that are not directly translatable but condition the understanding of sentences and phrases... something like a shrug of the shoulders. They are important for their influence in translation, not for their particular word meaning.

General Particles

Particle	Idea associated with it	Translation (?)
ἀμήν	Shows completeness and affirmation	Amen, truly, etc.
ἄν	Conditional conjunction usage with the Subjunctive	generally not trans.
γάρ	particular word emphasis	at least, indeed
ὅτι	points to the end of a process (7 times)	really
μέν	separate subjects, etc., of a clause	on one hand....
καί	give affirmation	+δέ on the other
ποτέ	temporal significance	ever