What is truth? The difficulty of this question, Ramsey said, ‘may be judged from the fact that in the years 1904–25 Mr Bertrand Russell has adopted in succession five different solutions of it’. By contrast the essential structure of Ramsey’s own approach to the question is remarkably stable. It is set down in a paper he wrote in 1921, when not yet half-way through his undergraduate degree, and persists into the unpublished book manuscript, On Truth, that he worked on in his last years. The talk will (1) expound this structure, (2) explain how it determines Ramsey’s assessment of Russell’s various theories, and (3) consider in its light the recently popular suggestion that in his late work Ramsey adopted a kind of pragmatism.