

World Food Day
FAO headquarters ceremony
Wednesday, 16 October 2013

10:00 hours

Introduction by the Moderator

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Address by Mr. José Graziano da Silva, Director-General
of the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations

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Statement by the keynote speaker Her Excellency Nadine Heredia,
FAO Special Ambassador for the “International Year of Quinoa” and the First Lady of Peru

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Statement by Her Excellency Nunzia De Girolamo,
Minister for Agriculture, Food and Forestry Policy of the Italian Republic

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His Excellency Archbishop Luigi Travaglino,
Permanent Observer of the Holy See to FAO
reads a message from His Holiness, Francis

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Statement by Mr Kanayo Nwanze,
President, International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD)

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Statement by Ms Ertharin Cousin,
Executive Director, World Food Programme (WFP)

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Conclusion