



FRATELLI TUTTI

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WISDOM

“The ability to sit down and listen to others, typical of interpersonal encounters, is paradigmatic of the welcoming attitude shown by those who transcend narcissism and accept others, caring for them and welcoming them into their lives.” “We must not lose our ability to listen. St. Francis heard the voice of God, he heard the voice of the poor, he heard the voice of the infirm and he heard the voice of nature. He made of them a way of life. My desire is that the seed that St. Francis planted may grow in the hearts of many.” “The process of building fraternity, be it local or universal, can only be undertaken by spirits that are free and open to authentic encounters.”

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