Each summer, students from across Tufts spend ten weeks as Tisch Summer Fellows (TSF). Through this highly competitive program, students engage with critical social issues, add capacity to host sites, and advance the public good while developing their own professional skills. In addition to a full-time fellowship position, TSF includes support for academic research, professional development, and the opportunity for students to explore potential career paths.

Application deadline: Friday, January 28, 2022, 11:59 p.m. ET

For questions, please contact University Chaplaincy program coordinator Jenna Logue or chaplaincy.tufts.edu.

Upcoming Religious Celebrations and Observances

- **Sat., Feb. 5, 2022**
  - Vasant Panchami (Sri Pancami)
  - The first fertility festival, celebrating the approach of spring and the growth of light in the darkness.
  - Tradition: Wicca/Paganism
  - Tradition: Zoroastrianism

- **Jan 26, 2022, 4:30 p.m.-6:00 p.m. ET, held virtually**
  - MLK Day Community Convocation: Stride Toward Freedom: The Montgomery Story
  - This is the panel to collectively reflect on the commitment shared by the Rev. Dr. King and Coretta Scott King to each other as preacher and activist. No preparation is required. We look forward to a reflective and engaging conversation.

- **Jan 26, 2022, 5:00 p.m.**
  - Shabbat Dinner To-Go
  - Building, working on action items with local community organizations, and reflection with a grab-n-go dinner.

- **Jan 27, 2022, 10:00 a.m.**
  - Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. in the Ordinaries
  - Students will hear a passage from the Ordinary Time Lectionary, focusing on his birth (Christmas) and death (Lent). The term “Ordinary Time” comes from the Latin word *ordinalis*, which means “following the liturgical year.”

- **Jan 28, 2022, 12:00 p.m.**
  - Tisch Summer Fellows Public Forum: White Supremacist Violence: An Interfaith Reflection and Call to Action
  - Students from the first cohort of the Tisch Summer Fellows (TSF) will present their reflections on the summer program and their research in public forums, followed by a call to action. Attendees will gather in small groups to explore the research and pass a call to action to those in attendance. This event is open to all Tufts community members.

- **Jan 29, 2022, 12:00 p.m.**
  - Protestant Evening Worship
  - Dr. Madeeba McCreary of the New Commonwealth Racial Equity and Social Justice Fund and Imari Paris Jeffries, the bread of hope. Then, that is the quest for the bread of love. Everybody needs this bread. “When you stop hoping, you’re dying... in the midst of this hopelessness men and women reach out for the bread of hope. That is the bread of love. Everybody needs this bread.”

- **Jan 29, 2022, 5:00 p.m.**
  - Catholic Chaplain and University Chaplaincy Associate Director Chittister, Joan.
  - Catholic Chaplain and University Chaplaincy Associate Director Joan C. Chittister on King as preacher and activist.

- **Jan 29, 2022, 5:00 p.m.**
  - Catholic Chaplain and University Chaplaincy Associate Director Joan C. Chittister

- **Jan 29, 2022, 7:00 p.m.**
  - Stride Toward Freedom: The Montgomery Story feat. Martin Luther King Jr., Director of Community Organizing at King Boston, for an interactive discussion.

- **Jan 30, 2022, 5:00 p.m.**
  - Coretta Scott King Legacy Conversations feat. Jenna Logue, Director of Community Organizing at King Boston, for an interactive discussion.

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