The University Chaplaincy is a dynamic hub supporting religious, spiritual, ethical, and cultural life for all members of the community. Our chaplains work to cultivate an environment of respect for all beliefs and traditions. We offer a diverse array of spiritual practices, including nature walks (independently and/or together), meditation exercises, listening to music, deep reading—of poetry, art, the world, our lives and one another. Please email chaplaincy@tufts.edu with any questions about the virtual event.

**Religious and Philosophical Life Programs**

- **African Spirituality Day**
- **Tuesday, January 19, 2021**
- Speaker profiles, and RSVP via this link.
- **Goodbye Party for Departing Buddhist Chaplain, Priya Sraman**
- **Friday, January 22, 2021**
- 2:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m. ET
- Find the Zoom links for all events and gatherings.

- **The Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Symposium**
- **Wednesday, February 10, 2021**
- 1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. ET
- Interfaith Youth Core hosts a talk with Dolores Huerta.
- **Sunday, February 14, 2021**
- “Reparation,” based on the powerful excerpt from the Rev. Dr. King’s speech at the March on Washington in 1963. Cobb is the Ira A. Lipman Professor of Journalism at Columbia University as well as staff writer for The New York Times.
- **Wednesday, February 24, 2021**
- **How to be an Ally**

- **Friday, March 19 – Saturday, March 20**
- The Israel Summit is a free, virtual, and international conference for people of all backgrounds to deepen their understanding of Israel and the Middle East.

Find more information and support in applying to the conference.

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Our spiritual, religious and philosophical practices, art, and literature have so much to offer us in this life together, helping us to recognize and honor the sacred in all life. We engage in traditional student advising and religious and spiritual counseling, and at every turn, we work to affirm the dignity of all persons. We cultivate an environment of respect for all beliefs and traditions. We seek to support the campus community in its quest for understanding and growth, and to become a more inclusive, just, and equitable place for all.

In the spirit of Psalm 96, we will look to embrace the spirit of transition and possibility as we begin a new spring term. What are you leaving behind and what will you take with you as we begin this spring term? How might your life be a song of praise to the Lord? What wisdom will you glean from your experience of last semester? What will you take with you as you go forward into this new spring term? What will you leave behind? How might your life be a song of praise to the Lord?

Next week, as many of you will be preparing to return to campus safely, we will pause to reflect on last semester and the months ahead. What will you take with you as you prepare to head home? What will you leave behind? How might your life be a song of praise to the Lord? What wisdom will you glean from your experience of last semester? What will you take with you as you go forward into this new spring term? What will you leave behind? How might your life be a song of praise to the Lord?