The University Chaplaincy is a dynamic hub supporting religious, spiritual, ethical, and cultural life for all members of Tufts University. This week, Tufts' University Chaplain, Jennifer Howe Peace, will be highlighting upcoming religious and philosophical community events.

### Upcoming Religious Holidays and Festivals

- **Tufts Orthodox Christian Students Association**
- **Tufts Christian Scientists Student Association**
- **Catholic Community at Tufts**: Mass, 5:00 p.m., Goddard Chapel
- **Chabad at Tufts University**: Shabbat Dinner, 6:45 p.m., Rohr Chabad House
- **Tufts Hillel**: Conservative and Reform Shabbat Services, 6:00 p.m., Granoff Family Hillel Center
- **Tufts Hindu Students Council**: Puja, 9:00 p.m. - 10:30 p.m., Goddard Chapel
- **Catholic Hour Spiritual Practice**: 7:00 p.m - 8:00 p.m., Goddard Chapel

### General Information

Mondays are dedicated to religious and philosophical community weekly gatherings for students interested in a scholarship opportunity that will cover conference registration. To learn more about the conference, please visit the Tufts website.

### Other Events

- **Nazia Ashraful Conference**: Applications are accepted until March 21. The conference presents a variety of perspectives from thought leaders in the fields of Jewish, African American, and Islamic studies. Fellows participate in three one-day colloquia in Washington, DC, with the fourth colloquium to be found on our website.

### Civic Engagement

Tufts Civic Impact is open to the entire Tufts community, including students, faculty members, staff and community partners, to publicize and track civic and community engagement opportunities! You can use Tufts Civic Impact to:

- Highlight your own activities
- Announce your events
- Be part of Tufts Civic Impact

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### Other Events

- **Tisch College Distinguished Speaker Series: Cyntoia Brown-Long**
- **CAIR-MA Internships**: Applications are due on March 21. The Foundation for Justice, Freedom and Mercy offers two competitive, paid summer internships in their Massachusetts office. Interns will work on projects with Cyntoia Brown-Long, a former juvenile offender who was sentenced to life in prison for killing a man to protect herself.

### Religious and Philosophical Life Programs

Dr. Erin Leib Smokler is the Director of Spiritual Development at Yeshivat Maharat, a graduate school of the Rabbinical Assembly of America. She will be leading a discussion on the intersection of Jewish spiritual practice and social justice work.

### Additional Events

- ** chanting**: Sessions are held every Monday at 3:2 – Saturday, 4.18.2020
- **Great Lent**: A designated 19-day period of fasting each year immediately before the Bahá'í New Year. The fasting is seen as a period of spiritual preparation and regeneration for the new year ahead.
- **March 27–28, 2020**: The conference will bring together diverse LGBTQ+ professionals and experts from across the country to discuss issues related to the LGBTQ+ movement.

### Contact Information

For more information about Tufts religious and philosophical community weekly gathering times, please visit our website. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact chaplaincy@tufts.edu.