Greetings from the whole University Chaplaincy Team

Dear Tufts community and friends,

Thank you for giving during Giving Tuesday 2020. This year we received over $4,100 in donations from more than 50 gifts. These generous gifts are a sign of the deep and meaningful impact we have on the lives of our students, faculty, and staff.

We would like to recognize three individuals who have been instrumental in supporting the University Chaplaincy:

- Preeta Banerjee, Hindu Advisor
- Shelby Carpenter, Program Coordinator
- Walker Bristol, Humanist Chaplain

With the holiday season before us, I want to wish everyone a warm, restful, and restorative winter break. May this time be a space for restoration, and a community to be with this winter break, as it is well-deserved and much needed this year.

The Venerable Priya Sraman, Buddhist Chaplain

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Into a new year. May your next year be full of openings of goodness, ease, and well-being!

A star, fueled from a blessed olive tree from neither east nor west, whose oil almost gives light even when no fire

His Light is like this: there is a niche, and in it a lamp, the lamp inside a glass, a glass like a glittering

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From Lynn Cooper, Catholic Chaplain:

May your Solstice be filled with reflection and rejuvenation, with hope and health, and with an appreciation for

From Shelby Carpenter, Program Coordinator:

All things in our lives that darkness makes possible: focus, peace, and rest.

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From Walker Bristol, Humanist Chaplain:

Moments of light — inside and out. And may you be blessed with hope and renewal in this new year. Peace.

From Rev. Dan Bell, Protestant Chaplain:

Words is being said. But what cannot be put into language is indeed That which IS.”

Words of my guru Anandamayi Ma: “Reality is beyond speech and thought. Only that which can be expressed in

From Preeta Banerjee, Hindu Advisor:

Season.

Dear Tufts community and friends,

We offer this, along with our warmest wishes to the entire Tufts community, as the year 2020 closes.

Please enjoy

A Guided Self-Meditation from our Buddhist Chaplain

Deep peace of the quiet earth.

Deep peace of the running waves,

May fervor for a better world abide among us. May we trust that we have light within us to shine and share. May

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A Winter Greeting from the University Chaplain

An offering of light. May it be a beacon

to us, they will appear to be nearly touching. I hope you claim moments to notice the

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