The University Chaplaincy Enews is published weekly by the Tufts University Chaplaincy to promote programs and events.

Upcoming Religious Holidays and Festivals

- **Tufts Latter-day Saints Students Association**

  To learn meeting times for the following groups, please see our website.

  - Sacrament of Reconciliation: Before or After Sunday Liturgy Sundays
  - Tufts Hillel: Shabbat Dinner, 7:15 p.m., Granoff Family Hillel Center Wednesdays
  - C. Stacey Woods: Large Group Gathering, 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m., Sophia Gordon Wednesdays
  - Tufts Hindu Students Council: Puja, 9:00 p.m. - 10:30 p.m., Goddard Chapel Wednesdays
  - Faculty/Staff Spirituality Group: 8:00 a.m - 9:00 a.m., Goddard Chapel Wednesdays

The festival features a feast dedicated to the Hindu deity Shiva. The night before the feast fasting is observed, texts are recited, songs and stories are told, and the deity is offered some of the first food eaten after the fast. The next day, the temple is decorated with flowers and incense sticks are burned.

**Catholic Student Fellowship Opportunity**

With the scholarship award (ranging from $3,000 - $10,000), you would also be joining a network of highly motivated students. Apply before March 15, 2020.

**Islamic Scholarship Fund Scholarship**

Note that the deadline to apply is March 15, 2020. Find more information on our website.

**Watershed Project**

Applications are now being accepted for the 2020-2021 cohort of the Watershed Project. The fellowship provides an opportunity for students, faculty, and staff to explore the intersections of race, religion, and the environment. Apply this week to be a peer leader for the Watershed Project.

**Scott Center Fellowship**

The fellowship provides graduate students with the opportunity to develop skills in contemplative practice and ethical leadership in a community that values a diversity of spiritual traditions. Women and minority candidates are strongly encouraged to apply. Applications are reviewed on a rolling basis. To apply, please complete the application on the Scott Center website.

**CAFE Pre-Orientation Event**

Applications are now open for the applied for an intern and peer leader. Priority applications are due March 2 and decisions will come out in early March.

**Racial and Ethnic Justice Initiative Retreat**

The retreat runs from Saturday afternoon to Sunday afternoon (Feb 22-23rd) and it is free. The retreat is designed to bring together students from Tufts and other Boston-area universities. The retreat will focus on the topic of "Visible and Invisible: Exploring our Identities." Participants will have the opportunity to engage in discussions about their experiences and identities, and to develop strategies for how to address issues of identity and inequality in their personal and professional lives.

**Heart-Smile New 8-Week Course**

Make the Most of Your Mentoring Relationships. This course will explore the importance of mentoring relationships in professional and personal life. Participants will learn how to identify and develop effective mentoring relationships, how to build a strong support network, and how to create a positive and productive mentoring culture.

**Music for All at Tufts**

This year, Catholic Community at Tufts (CCT) will be having an annual spring retreat from February 28-March 1. The retreat is designed to offer a space for students to reflect on their spiritual journey through the wilderness as we move towards the Cross and the Empty Tomb. All are invited to join in this journey and to engage in spiritual discussions, prayer, worship, and community building activities.

**HCAT Stargazing at the BU Observatory**

The HCAT Stargazing at the BU Observatory will be rescheduled; please no longer plan for Wednesday February 19. The new date for the Stargazing event will be announced soon. Please let us know if you plan to attend by signing up on the event page.

**Interfaith Dialogue**

Muslim and Christian faith leaders will meet with us for lunch and conversation. The interfaith dialogue provides an opportunity for students of different faiths to engage in meaningful conversations and to build relationships of mutual understanding and respect. The dialogue is open to all students and faculty who are interested in exploring the intersections of different religious traditions.

**Film Screening**

This screening is part of the Traditions and Practices Series! Join the Tufts Buddhist Chaplaincy and the Tufts Mindfulness Buddhist Sangha for the first talk of our Traditions and Practices Series.

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**Prayer Breakfast**

Each week we celebrate the Holy Eucharist at our 5:00 p.m. Mass in the Chapel of the Sacred Heart. The prayer breakfast is held immediately after the Mass, and it is open to all members of the Tufts community.

**Philosophy and the Arts**

This event is part of the Interfaith Dialogue Series. It features a panel discussion on the role of philosophy in the arts, with a focus on the use of humor in religious contexts. The event is open to all members of the Tufts community.

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