The University Chaplaincy is a dynamic hub supporting religious, spiritual, ethical, and cultural life for all members of the university. It aims to foster understanding and appreciation of diverse religious traditions and to promote dialogue among people of different faiths and cultures. The chaplaincy seeks to address spiritual and ethical issues in society and the world, and to promote multifaith engagement.

The chaplaincy offers various events and programs throughout the year, including workshops, panel discussions, and community service projects. One such event is the Ripple Conference, which focuses on sustained interfaith engagement. The conference offers time to learn, engage, reflect, and share. Participants will learn about other traditions, share their own perspectives, and process the conference experience. The event is held in February and includes both in-person and virtual components.

Another event is the Return and Renewal Art Show, which is hosted by the School of the Museum of Fine Arts (SMFA) and the University Chaplaincy. This show invites students to create artwork that reflects on the themes of return and renewal. Participants are encouraged to explore the idea of transformation through art, and their works will be featured at the SMFA Terrace Gallery.

In addition to these events, the chaplaincy also supports other initiatives, such as the Fletcher Initiative on Law and Diplomacy, which invites leaders from various fields to discuss topics related to law and diplomacy. The Udall Foundation awards scholarships to college students for leadership, public service, and commitment to issues related to Native American nations or the environment. Students who are recipients of these scholarships also participate in a week-long Summer Orientation where they meet and collaborate with each other.

The chaplaincy also actively engages with the local community. For example, they have partnered with Boston metro organizations to support community action. Additionally, the chaplaincy offers resources, scholarships, and opportunities for students to get involved.

The chaplaincy is committed to fostering a community that values diversity, understanding, and dialogue. Through a variety of events and programs, they aim to create a space where people of different faiths and cultures can come together to learn from each other, to engage in meaningful conversations, and to work towards a more just and compassionate world.