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About the University Chaplaincy Enews

The University Chaplaincy Enews is published weekly by the Tufts University Chaplaincy to promote programs and opportunities within the University community related to religious, spiritual, ethical, and cultural life. We are committed to fostering an inclusive and diverse environment. If you have any questions, comments, or suggestions, please contact Jennifer Howe Peace, University Chaplain. We welcome your insights, suggestions, and requests.

Supporting dynamic programs at Tufts University in religious, spiritual, ethical, and cultural life is easy and vital to our community. We provide pastoral care, support religious and philosophical communities, educate about spiritual and ethical issues in society and the world, and promote multifaith engagement. Our chaplains are here for you, no matter where you are in the world or how you are doing in this time. Click on a chaplain's name below to schedule a time for conversation, meditation, prayer, or to check in about anything else on your mind.

While health and safety is everyone's first priority, the Tufts Digital Collections and Archives (DC&A) have been working diligently to make their holdings more accessible to the public. In celebration of Earth Day this year, the Office of Sustainability invites you to come together (at a safe distance) to care for our planet. Check the DC&A calendar to join events.

This week, Protestant Chaplain Dan Bell and Muslim Chaplain Rev. Wendy Miller Olapade will be a part of our monthly Open Hour - Check-In and Reflection video series. The video will be posted to our YouTube channel and will feature a check-in conversation between two chaplaincy staff members. Our team hopes the videos will be used as a space for you to reflect and consider questions about your beliefs or struggles, or simply to connect with one another. Come for as long or as short as you are able. You can view the short videos any time, and new ones are in the works. We hope you are able to join us.

Do you have an idea for how the University Chaplaincy can support you? Please fill out this contact form.

Please consider following our social media accounts to stay informed about our programs and events:

- Twitter: @TuftsChaplaincy
- Facebook page: https://www.facebook.com/tuftschaplaincy/
- Instagram: @TuftsChaplaincy
- Medium: https://medium.com/tufts-chaplaincy

Follow our Instagram account to see “3 simple practices” from our chaplains and other community members, and check out our past “3 simple practices” which are still available.

We invite you to share your honoring practices this Earth Day. Any questions can be submitted to Jennifer Howe Peace, University Chaplain. We are happy to be a part of your Earth Day activities. Please share your practices with us, and we will be happy to share them with our community.

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As an example, I think of my peach blossom tree in my backyard. It has always been a source of renewal for me. In the spring, it blossoms with its flowers, offering shade to the wooden bench. At times, there are other creatures around. Rabbits, birds, butterflies, and bees. They seem to appreciate it as much as I do. I am grateful to them.

The peach blossom tree has added serenity to my backyard. As I care for it, I feel connected to the world around me. I am grateful for the beauty and serenity it brings to my life. I am grateful to the world around me for the beauty it brings to my life. I am grateful to the world around me for the beauty it brings to my life. I am grateful to the world around me for the beauty it brings to my life.

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