Spiritual Life Programs
Orientation 2019

Spiritual Life Resource Fair
Wednesday, August 28, 3:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.
Goddard Chapel
From the end of the Matriculation Ceremony until 5:00 pm, Tufts’ chaplains and student leaders from many of Tufts’ spiritual communities welcome you for snacks and information in Goddard Chapel. Connect with resources for spirituality, community, and social justice. All are welcome.

Muslim Prayer Service and Lunch
Friday, August 30, 1:00 p.m.-3:00 p.m.
Interfaith Center
Congregational prayer and halal buffet lunch with vegetarian options are open to all Tufts affiliates, including those with an interest in learning more about Islam and Muslim cultures. RSVP appreciated, but not required. Contact the University Chaplaincy at chaplaincy@tufts.edu. All are welcome. If this program conflicts with the 1 p.m. mandatory program, Community and Inclusion at Tufts, please attend that program at 3:30 p.m. or 7 p.m. in Cohen.

Tufts Hillel Shabbat Services
Friday, August 30, 6:00 p.m.- 7:00 p.m.,
Granoff Family Hillel Center
Join the Class of 2023 for your first Shabbat on campus. Welcome to services, dinner or both. Unwind from the frenetic pace of orientation with uplifting and lively services beginning at 6:00 p.m., followed by dinner at 7:15 p.m.

Tufts Hillel Shabbat Dinner
Friday, August 30, 7:15 p.m.-8:15 p.m.
Granoff Family Hillel Center
All are welcome for a free delicious dinner prepared by Chef David; a great chance to unplug for an hour and connect with other first year students. If you plan on coming to dinner, RSVPs are appreciated (http://bit.ly/1aYfmIv). If attending this event conflicts with the 7 p.m. mandatory program, Community and Inclusion at Tufts, please attend that program at 1 p.m. or 3:30 pm in Cohen.

Tufts Hillel Shabbat Morning Services and Lunch
Saturday, August 31, 10:00 a.m. services, 1:00 p.m. lunch
Granoff Family Hillel Center
Mindful and song-filled services will be followed by a free community lunch at noon. Join us at any point.

Learn more at chaplaincy.tufts.edu

Welcome Brunch for Protestant Christian Students and Friends
Saturday, August 31, 10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
Tisch Library Roof (Rain site: Goddard Chapel)
Come enjoy Dunkin’ Donuts bagels, doughnuts, coffee, and fruit while meeting the Protestant community at Tufts. There will be an introduction to campus ministries by Protestant Chaplain Dan Bell at 10:30 a.m., fun activities, and plenty of time to hang out and meet new friends. All are welcome, and all are loved, no matter your faith background.

Tufts Hillel J.P. Licks and Havdallah
Saturday, August 31, 9:00 p.m.-11:00 p.m.
Meet at Granoff Family Hillel Center
It’s Havdallah with a frozen twist. Seamlessly blend the end of Shabbat into the start of a new week with this symbolic ritual; then, head over to J.P. Licks in Davis Square to top off this sweet transition into college life with free ice cream.

Tufts Hillel Bagel Bunch
Sunday, September 1, 11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.
Granoff Family Hillel Center
Come join us for our annual Bagel Brunch at Hillel for delicious food and great performances by all of the Tufts a cappella groups.

Catholic Choir Practice
Sunday, September 1, 4:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.
Goddard Chapel
All are welcome, no experience necessary.

Roman Catholic Mass
Sunday, September 1, 5:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m.
Goddard Chapel
Come celebrate our opening liturgy of the 2019–2020 academic year. As always, come as you are. All are welcome.

Dinner for Incoming Catholic Students and Friends
Sunday, September 1, 6:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m.
Rabb Room, Lincoln Filene Hall
After mass, join us for dinner across the quad. Meet Catholic Chaplain Lynn Cooper, A02, and the Catholic Community at Tufts. Bring your questions, ideas, and gifts. All are welcome.

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Protestant Evening Worship:
“There is always room for you in the P.E.W.”
Sunday, September 1, 7:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.
Goddard Chapel
Please join us for our first worship service of the year. We are excited to welcome back the Reverend Edwin Johnson, A04, a Tufts alum and local Episcopal priest. Edwin is a dynamic preacher who is sure to give an inspiring message as we begin the fall. Tasty refreshments and a fun time of fellowship will follow. All are welcome, regardless of religious or philosophical identity.

C. Stacey Woods Programming Board
Morning Prayer Kickoff
Monday, September 2, 9:00 a.m.-9:30 a.m.
Tisch Roof (Rain site: Goddard Chapel)
Join us for the first morning prayer event of the year. Let’s come together to pray for our campus and the start of the semester. Held every weekday throughout the semester, morning prayer is a unique time to connect with God and people. We connect Tufts with InterVarsity Christian Fellowship and invite you to join us.

Brunch for Incoming
Atheists, Agnostics, Humanists, and Friends
Monday, September 2, 10:00 a.m.-11:30 a.m.
Goddard Chapel
Come connect with other nonreligious students on campus, learn about collaborative service work, and what it means to be a part of Humanist and nonreligious life at Tufts. Drop in anytime to meet Humanist Chaplain Walker Bristol, A14, connect with members of the Humanist Community at Tufts, and share lunch with like-minded peers who may want to explore meaning in the world with or without religion. All are welcome.

Buddhist and Mindfulness Meditation
Monday, September 2, 12:00 p.m.-1:00 p.m.
Goddard Chapel
Tufts Buddhist Chaplain The Venerable Priya Sraman and the Tufts Buddhist Mindfulness Sangha welcome you to think about the practice of mindfulness in your college life. Learn about the Sangha’s exciting activities, explore Buddhist life and practices on campus, and make new friends. Refreshments offered. All are welcome.

Learn more at chaplaincy.tufts.edu
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Welcome BBQ
Monday, September 2, 5:30 p.m.-7:00 p.m.
Fletcher Field (Rain site: See online calendar)
Come by for BBQ and to make new friends! You’ll have a chance to learn more about CSWPB and meet other students interested in pursuing Christianity on campus. We are excited to meet students of all faith backgrounds as we connect Tufts with InterVarsity Christian Fellowship.

Chabad at Tufts University
Labor Day Jewish Jumbo Welcome BBQ
Monday, September 2, 5:00 p.m.-6:30 p.m.
Chabad House, 21 Chetwynd Road
Chabad kicks off the new year with the Jewish Jumbo Welcome BBQ where you can enjoy great kosher food and meet lots of new and returning students. Visit www.JewishJumbo.com or Facebook.com/ChabadTufts to find out more.

Hindu Students Council
First Weekly Meeting
Tuesday, September 10, 9:00 p.m.-10:00 p.m.
Goddard Chapel
For our General Interest Meeting, we will be discussing what the HSC does on campus and the events we have lined up for the year. If you want to learn about Hinduism on campus (no prior knowledge is necessary), get to know new people, or just eat some piping hot free samosas, please join us.

Tufts University Unitarian Universalists
Get to Know YoUU and Cupcakes
Wednesday, September 11, 8:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m.
Goddard Chapel
Enjoy cupcakes with the Tufts University Unitarian Universalists. Get to know other UUs on campus and learn about the fun events scheduled for the year.

Muslim Students Association
Annual Welcome Back BBQ
Friday, September 13, 5:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m.
Fletcher Field (Rain site: Interfaith Center)
Join MSA for our annual Welcome Back BBQ. This is an opportunity to be in community, have some fun, and, of course, eat delicious halal bbq. Vegetarian options will be served and all are welcome.

Chabad at Tufts
Sushi Shabbat
Friday, September 13, 6:00 p.m. services, 6:45 p.m. dinner
Chabad House, 21 Chetwynd Road
Enjoy the beauty of Shabbat at your Jewish home away from home. RSVPs (at www.JewishJumbo.com or Facebook.com/ChabadTufts) are appreciated.