Monday, August 14

ON THIS DAY



▲ 2005: All 121 people on board a Cypriot airliner died after it plunged into a mountain north of Athens after an apparent drop in cabin pressure

1040: King Duncan of Scotland was murdered by Macbeth

1941: The Atlantic Charter was signed by U.S. President Roosevelt and British Prime Minister Churchill

1988: Enzo Ferrari, Italian racing pioneer and sports car builder, died at his home in Modena aged 90

2003: France declared a medical state of emergency amid a record heatwave which ultimately caused 14,800 heat-related deaths