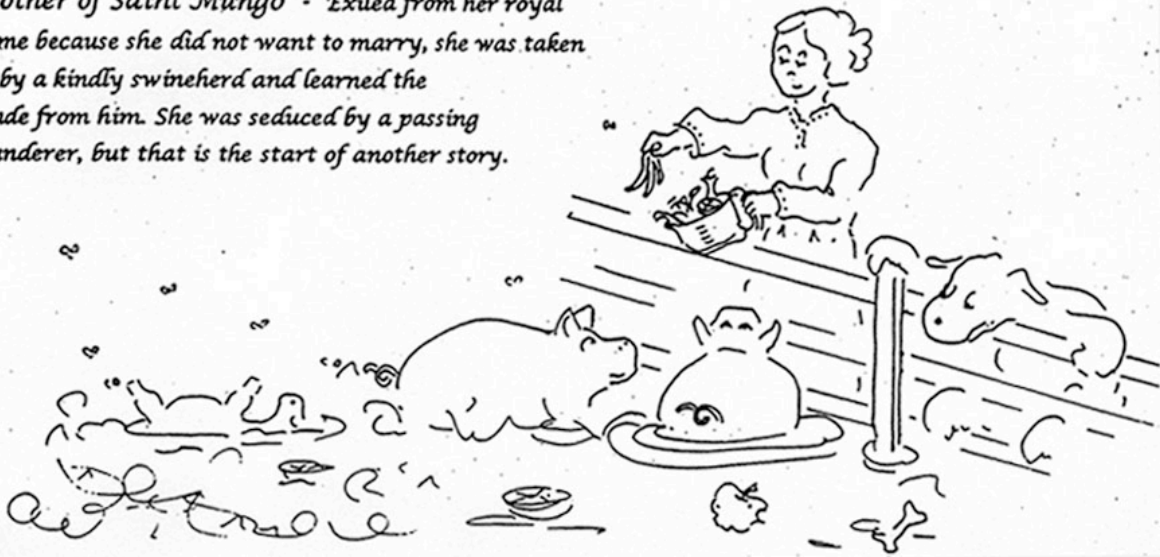


Saint Theneva - 6th century - July 18

Mother of Saint Mungo - Exiled from her royal home because she did not want to marry, she was taken in by a kindly swineherd and learned the trade from him. She was seduced by a passing wanderer, but that is the start of another story.



Sunday

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Saturday

J U L Y

4th of July

Anti-boredom
Month

2 1777 Vermont becomes 1st American colony to abolish slavery

9 1878 Improved corn cob pipe patented

16 Granma '09 **National Ice Cream Day**

23 1904 Ice cream cone created during La Purchase Expo

30 1956: "In God we trust" becomes US motto

3 Dog days begin with the rising of Sirius
Joni b '03

10 1989 Mel Blanc voice of Bugs Bunny, died at 81

17 1955 - Disneyland opens in LA

24 1870 1st trans-US rail service begins

31 1809 First practical railroad track - wooden rails for horse drawn carriages

Jonah born 1997

11 1899 E.B. White born

18 1872 Britain introduces secret ballot voting

25 SAINT CHRISTOPHER, patron of travelers

5 1794 Sylvester Graham born, developed graham cracker

12 First Etch A Sketch on sale in US 1960.

19 1961 1st in-flight movie shown (TWA)

26 Pres Truman orders "equality of treatment & opportunity" in the armed forces 1948

6 1886 Horlick's of Wisconsin offers 1st malted milk

13 1568 Dean of St Paul's Cathedral perfects a way to bottle beer

20 1944 FDR nominated for 4th term

27 Sir Walter Raleigh brings 1st tobacco to England from Virginia 1586

7 1863 1st military draft by US (exemptions cost \$100)

14 Lightning causes NYC to be without power for 25 hours, 1977

21 Biology teacher John T. Scopes found guilty of teaching evolution - fined \$100. 1925

28 Noah opened the ark and sent out a dove, 2348 BC

1 1859 1st college baseball game, Amherst 66, Williams 32.

8 1981 Sandra Day O'Conner confirmed to Supreme Court (99-0)

15 St. Swithun 1606 Rembrandt van Rijn

22 Rat-catchers Day, celebrating the Pied Piper of Hamelin - 1376

29 1974: 11 women ordained in the Episcopal Church