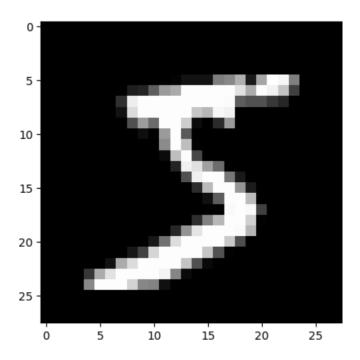
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In [1]:
    import cv2
    import numpy as np
    from keras.datasets import mnist
    from keras.layers import Dense, Flatten, MaxPooling2D, Dropout
    from keras.layers.convolutional import Conv2D
    from keras.models import sequential
    from keras.utils import to_categorical
    import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

In [2]:    (X_train, y_train), (X_test, y_test) = mnist.load_data()

In [3]:    plt.imshow(X_train[0], cmap="gray")
    plt.show()
    print (y_train[0])
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in [8]: model = Sequential()

## Declare the Layers
layer_1 = Conv2D(64, kernel_size=3, activation='relu', input_shape=(28, 28, 1))
layer_2 = MaxPooling2D(pool_size=2)
layer_3 = Conv2D(32, kernel_size=3, activation='relu')
layer_4 = MaxPooling2D(pool_size=2)
layer_5 = Dropout(0.5)
layer_7 = Dense(128, activation="relu")
layer_8 = Dropout(0.5)
layer_9 = Dense(128, activation="softmax')

## Add the Layers to the model
model.add(layer_1)
model.add(layer_3)
model.add(layer_3)
model.add(layer_4)
model.add(layer_5)
model.add(layer_6)
model.add(layer_6)
model.add(layer_7)
model.add(layer_8)
model.add(layer_8)
model.add(layer_9)
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