## Worship

This term we are thinking about fear and courage. Today we are thinking about the fable of The Lion and the Mouse.

You can listen to the story here: English KS1/KS2: Aesop's Fables -17. The Lion and the Mouse - BBC Teach

Or ask an adult to read it to you by finding the story on the worship page of the website (follow this link): Worship Space - ST MARYS PRIMARY SCHOOL (banburystmarysschool.co.uk)

A mouse happens upon a sleeping lion in the forest. Unwisely, he climbs up onto the lion and boasts about how mice need not be scared of lazy lions. The lion, by now not asleep, grabs the mouse and prepares to eat it.

## Reflection

Friends can be very useful, even if they are very small. What could be the consequences of not being brave? If you are finding it really hard to be brave, what could you do to help yourself make the right choice?

## Prayer

God who knows all our fears,

You never leave us.

When we are scared, help us to trust you.

Amen.

