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Jean Claude arrived back in Lubumbashi after having the needed surgery on his knee about 12 days ago. He needed to stay in Johannesburg to recover and get help with physiotherapy and for the surgeon to check the recovery on his knee. He has been given the all clear to return and will return to his hospital at Luanza where he will need to continue the physiotherapy while the healing continues. Thank you to those who gave to help Dr Jean Claude. The response was amazing.

Today as well, Dr Mark Glover, from Northern Ireland arrived here in Lubumbashi. Dr Graham Fry was also to have traveled with him but unfortunately Mark's visa was granted in time for him to fly but Graham's was not. No rhyme or reason to that. Graham is still hopeful he may get his visa in the next week in which case he would still come. Please pray for this process. Getting visas for Congo now is very difficult.

The CDLA team of teachers has just finished 2 week long seminars in 2 areas of Lubumbashi teaching the preaching course and next week will teach 2 more. Pray for this ongoing work.

Yesterday there was an outbreak of trouble at our hospital at Chamfubu near Pweto. About 70-90 Mai Mai fighters invaded the hospital with spears, bows and arrows and machetes chanting and dancing at their success at reaching the region of Pweto but this quickly turned to me total disorder when the soldiers arrived and began shooting. The invaders quickly fled but not before some were shot and killed.

Murray & Mark plan to travel to take Jean Claude back to Luanza and then possibly on to Pweto to see the hospital and the project to get water to the hospital that has just been completed. We have been advised that all is back to normal there but these types of incidents can pop up anywhere so your prayers would be valued.

Thanks
Joy & Murray

