

# March of Witness

Of all the activities that were on the church's itinerary to celebrate our twenty-fifth anniversary of ministry within the East Ruimveldt community, the March of Witness can definitely be rated as one of the most exciting. Ever read a book where the author describes a beautiful sunny day, perfect conditions to enjoy outdoor activities to the fullest? The 13<sup>th</sup> September, 2008 was an example of one of those days. It was the day of the March of Witness and members and friends came out in their numbers to join in praising and worshipping God as we danced down the streets of East Ruimveldt.

The March commenced at 5:00pm and started off from the R.L.I.C.

We were most delighted to be graced by the presence of a few members of CHARIS Ministries of Trinidad and Tobago, and accompanied by our church band

*Dunamis* and the worship leaders in a Canter truck we all proceeded to prance and dance down the streets to the pulsating beat of the music, all the while shouting praises to our God at



the top of our voices so that the people of the community could see and hear the love we have for Christ and to let them know, through our praises and tracts, that they too can enjoy having Christ as their personal Lord and Saviour. It was a wonderful sight to see, people of all ages, young and old, those that seemed to possess little energy before suddenly oozing energy from all anatomical parts as they

paraded and bounced in time to the tunes, greeting people as they passed and just enjoying themselves to the fullest. If anything a few lost some poundage that afternoon.

Our march was turning out to be such a success that the enemy had to intervene and try to put a dent in our work, but the Devil is a liar and God proved it that afternoon, for even though he tried to take out our public address system those present were enough to be herd by the people of the community and people still came out in their numbers from the confines of their homes to be witnessed to, some even joined in the clapping and dancing, and taking this as an opportunity we invited them to come fellowship with us in our Sunday and mid-week services. So I must say it was with great pleasure I saw the enemy denied their privilege that blessed afternoon. As we proceeded down the streets members continued to join us all along our route hence the more we had, so the merrier we were. Our mission driven March lasted for about an hour or so and ended right where we started, at the RLIC. Back at the church we lingered a while to enjoy each others company

before we could officially announce our March of Witness completed.

Indeed we were triumphant in our pursuit to witness to most of the East Ruimveldt community, for we were confident that somewhere along our route there were persons who were touched and felt encouraged to come join us in exalting the awesome power and presence of our true and living God and when they come on Sundays and during the week we welcome them with open arms and a word in our hearts to share and testify with them.

