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## **Member for Nicklin welcomes new residents into Sanctuary Park**

For Col and Roma Sims, finally hanging their clothes up in their own cupboard has been a long time coming.

The couple, along with five others, has just moved into their new villa at Churches of Christ Care's Sanctuary Park Retirement Community.

And on Thursday, Member for Nicklin Peter Wellington will welcome the new residents into the village at a special afternoon tea.

"Since we sold our house last November, we have been travelling around Australia in our caravan; we were what you call 'gray nomads'," Col said.

"We have been living out of a suitcase for the past eight months, so it is just wonderful to finally settle in and have a home: we are both really happy.

"We chose a two-bedroom plus study unit as we wanted to be able to have our children or friends visit us.

"Our villa is exactly what we wanted. Everything is so modern but so homey at the same time - we just love it! It is so great to finally have all our belongings around us."

Peter Wellington will welcome Col and Roma Sims and the other new residents into the village on Thursday.

## **ENDS**

### **Photo opportunity:**

Who: Member for Nicklin Peter Wellington, staff and residents from Churches of Christ Care's Sanctuary Park Retirement Community

What: Welcoming new residents into the village

Where: Sanctuary Park Retirement Community, 44 Zealey Road, Nambour

When: Thursday, June 2 at 2pm.

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Churches of Christ Care is a division of Churches of Christ in Queensland—a group of churches that is part of the worldwide Christian church.

We strive to create an inclusive, caring, compassionate environment that meets our clients' needs without discrimination or prejudice. Everyone is welcome to call on our help regardless of their religious background.

Churches of Christ Care is one of Queensland's leading providers of early childhood, child protection, affordable housing, retirement living and aged care services. We are a not-for-profit organisation that supports more than 27,000 clients each year in urban, rural and remote areas.

We operate 137 services throughout Queensland with the support of more than 2,800 staff and over 700 volunteers.

Churches of Christ Care is built on a foundation of Christian values, commitment to quality care, and trust and respect for clients and the community.