



### **The Reverend Dr. Howell C. Sasser, Jr., OStJ**

The Reverend Dr. Howell Sasser has been the Rector of St Thomas's Church, Newark, since March 2019. Before coming to Delaware, he served churches in Pennsylvania and New York. He grew up around the world and in the Episcopal/Anglican church.

Dr. Sasser received his PhD in Epidemiology from the University of Pittsburgh in April 1999 and served as contributing faculty in the PhD in Public Health program in the School of Health Sciences at Walden University in. He has worked as a researcher in clinical and community-based research settings in a variety of disease processes and health behaviors, serving as a study design expert, statistical analyst, and project evaluator.

He joined the Order of St John in 2007, was promoted to Officer Brother in 2011, and serves as protocol advisor. He enjoys running, cooking, photography, and travel.