

What is the difference between a community
that volunteers and a
“**STEWARDSHIP COMMUNITY**”

Community That Volunteers

Individuals Volunteering

Volunteering Time and Talent

Volunteers assist Staff and
Leaders in “their” ministry

Limited volunteers, working
with many committees, projects
ministries

Volunteering is a duty, only
Volunteer when asked

**Stewardship
Community**

Sharing is a Ministry

Sharing Gifts allows you
to Minister to others

Dynamic partnership
between staff/leaders
and volunteers

God blesses everyone
with many gifts, so that
God’s plan can be
carried out

Ministry is a gift and
allows God the
opportunity to work
through us

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