Our World is Broken

Lyrics by Chris Shannon

Sung to the tune Bunessan, a Gaelic Melody, used for the hymn, “Morning has Broken”

People suffering through the flood and flame,
Black skies revealing disrespect’s worst.
Dirty rain falling on earth’s destruction;
Our world is broken, earth, body, soul.

COVID-19 strikes both peasants and kings.
Will it make us see inequities?
When will we all strive to acts of justice?
When will we all learn, we’re really one?

Searching for God’s hope, Mother Earth’s wisdom;
People are speaking for our re-birth.
Praying for kindness to God our healer
For transformation across the earth.

Morning arising to sunny blue skies;
Flowing streams healing from earth’s re-birth.
Respectful peoples praise diversity.
Praise for God’s healing of the whole world.